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The families were at the farm of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Cook, in east Arkansas.

Santana, 44, and one of his daughters, were taken to Cross County Hospital, Wynne, Ark. The daughter, Mary Ann, 14, was treated and dismissed.

Santana, burned around the head, face and back, is in serious condition.

Santana's wife at first escaped, but she returned to the flaming house to rescue her baby and was killed.

Mrs. Cook said it was believed that kerosene thrown on a smouldering wood fire in the stove caused the tragedy.

The girl, Mary Ann Santana said she and her two months old brother were in the kitchen and all the rest of the two families were in the living room around the stove. The baby died enroute to a Memphis, Tenn., hospital.

Killed were five other Santana children, besides the baby. All were younger than 14 year old Mary Ann.

Both families had been tenants on the Cook place for more than a year, Mrs. Cook said.

Mrs. Montana was the only one not taken to a hospital. She suffered burns, but was treated on the scene.

Mrs. Cook said bodies of most of the dead were burned beyond recognition. Three Montana children were killed.

Policy Leaders To Avoid Fight Over McCarthy

WASHINGTON, Dec. 25 —UP— Senate Republican policy makers are determined to avoid a fight over Sen. Joseph R. McCarthy's committee assignments in the new Congress, despite the threats of Sen.-elect Clifford P. Case (R-N.J.)

Even if Case follows through with his announced plan to deprive McCarthy of all assignments, he is headed for certain failure, Republican sources said Saturday.

Behind the scenes, key GOP senators are expected to urge Case not to make the try—partly for the sake of party harmony but mainly because he faces sure defeat.

Case has said he would demand a Senate vote on all committee assignments for McCarthy. He took his position after the Wisconsin Republican tried to bring about his defeat in the recent New Jersey election.

McCarthy holds seats on the Government Operations committee, of which he is chairman, and also on the Appropriations and rules committees. Under the new Senate alignment when the Democrats take over Jan. 5, he may have to forfeit one of his seats. McCarthy's Permanent Investigating subcommittee is under Government Operations.

Although McCarthy has not indicated what committees he will request, he is expected to remain on the Government Operations and Appropriations groups and possibly relinquish Rules, to which he was assigned only recently.

In announcing his plans, Case apparently overlooked the fact that the Congressional Reorganization Act requires each senator to serve on two committees. Some senior senators get three posts.

Every Senate committee also has authority by law to investigate and power to subpena witnesses. Therefore, keeping McCarthy from any investigating committee would clash with Senate rules and the reorganization rule.

Under senate procedures, committee assignments are officially made by the Senate itself. However, for all practical purposes, they are made by the two parties, and Senate ratification is virtually automatic. Almost without exception, seniority is rigidly followed by each party.

Minister Kills Former Husband Of His Ex-Wife

WATSONVILLE, Calif., Dec. 25 —UP—A self-ordained minister shot and killed his ex-wife's husband early Saturday because "he said something that vexed and irked me."

Booked on a murder charge by Watsonville police was Henry Herman Webb, 46, of Seagraves, Tex., who police identified as a part-time minister of the Church of God of Texas and a full-time farmer.

He declined to say what "vexed him" into whipping out a .22 caliber target pistol in the midst of an argument and pumping two shots into the head and three into the body of Steven Bradley Kirkendoll, 44, Watsonville.

However, police said they believed the argument was over the paternity of Mrs. Kirkendoll's four months old child. She was divorced early this year from Webb.

After the shooting, Webb walked to the sheriff's office and surrendered to two deputies who were reporting for work with the statement: "I'm the man you want for the shooting."

Police said Webb arrived in Watsonville Friday night from Texas and called on his former wife Erma, 37, also a self-ordained minister. The argument ensued.

28 Lives Lost In Wreck Of Giant British Plane

Draftees To Be Released At Fast Rate

WASHINGTON, Dec. 25 —UP—The Army plans to release thousands of draftees ahead of schedule next year to carry out the sharp manpower cut ordered by the White House, officials revealed Saturday.

Other steps in the cutback include early release of some reserve officers, extended deferment from active duty of reserve officers training corps graduates, and the already announced reduction in the monthly draft calls from 20,000 to 11,000.

President Eisenhower recently directed a 243,000-man cut in the Army by next summer. This will reduce strength to 1.1 million men or 73,000 more than planned until a few weeks ago. The Army also was ordered to cut out an additional 100,000 by mid-1956, levelling off at one million.

Military sources said it is a certainty the Army cannot now man the 24 divisions announced as its goal last Sept. 29. They foresee only 19 or 20 divisions but said the exact number still must be worked out.

Under present plans, all two-year draftees completing 23 months service next May will be released at that time. Those completing 22 months in June will be released then. This "pre-release" policy will prevail for several months in fiscal 1956, starting next July 1.

From next March to September, the Army also plans to release reserve officers serving their first 24-month tours after they complete only 21 months. Exceptions are chaplains, medical officers and women officers.

Men overseas will be brought home in time for separation under the new schedule.

Remaining cuts will come from "normal attrition"—deaths, retirements, and failure of men to reenlist.

The Navy and Marine Corps were ordered to reduce respectively from 692,000 now to 665,000 next June 30 and 650,000 in mid - 1956, and from 222,000 now to 205,000 next June 30 and 190,000 in mid-1956.

Only the Air Force continues to build up, from 961,000 now to 970,000 next June 30 and 975,000 in mid-1956.

Celebrates 103rd Birthday, Which Is On Christmas

LIBERTY, Ind. Dec. 25 (AP)—Christmas Day was both a merry Christmas and a happy birthday, her 103rd, for sprightly Miss Emmaline Kelly today.

She spent the day in the Union County Infirmary, where she has lived since 1950, greeting friends and opening presents.

What seemed to please her most was the 104 letters and cards she received, and most of all was the letter from Mrs. Mamie Eisenhower, sent from the White House.

It read:

The holiday has a double, pleasant meaning for you, I understand, because you celebrate a birthday on Christmas Day, this year your 103rd.

"I hope that you will accept my most cordial and sincere congratulations on this occasion.

"You must have a great many dear and cherished memories of this special day in the years gone by and I know that when you can be persuaded to tell of them you bring great pleasure to your listeners.

"May you continue to enjoy the peace and enduring happiness so richly yours for many years to come.

"Happy birthday, merry Christmas and the best new year ever."

The presents included baskets of fruit, shawls, handkerchiefs and many other articles.

"She shares her gifts with all the others here," said Mrs. Charles Brown, matron of the infirmary.

Miss Kelly's observation on living to be 103 was:

"That's an awful long time. I'm thankful for my health."

A year ago, she said she had no formula for living to old age.

"I just believe God wanted me to live long," she said.

Ava In Berlin

BERLIN (AP)—Film actress Ava Gardner arrived here today by plane for a Christmas visit with soldiers in the local U. S. Army hospital. Miss Gardner is on a world tour.



HITCHES RIDE WITH IKE—William Grayson Peters, 21, a fourth year West Point cadet, embraces his mother at his home in Albany, Ga., as he arrives home for the Christmas holidays. Cadet Peters, seeking a lift south, was given a ride from Washington, D. C., to Augusta, Ga., with President and Mrs. Eisenhower aboard the "Columbine." The mother is Mrs. W. E. Peters. (AP Wirephoto)

Mental Patient Climbs 100-Foot Water Tower In Demand To See Family

NORMAN, Okla., Dec. 25 —UP—A mental patient broke loose from a breakfast line in a state hospital dining room Saturday and climbed 100 feet up a water tower where he perched four hours—demanding to see his family for Christmas.

He finally was coaxed down by the sight of his wife and three children, who were rushed to the hospital in state highway patrol cars from their home in Ardmore, Okla., 84 miles away.

He also was promised a Christmas dinner with his family. They dined together in the hospital dining room after he climbed down from a platform near the tower top, from where he had threatened to jump unless the family were brought to see him.

Officials at Central State Hospital refused to permit firemen or police to climb the tower, which is located on the hospital grounds.

Firemen said they had no net strong enough to break a fall from that height.

While the race was going on to get the man's family to him, he lolled quietly on the platform.

"He was so disturbed and yet so deliberate we thought he would yield (and come down) if we complied with his request," Dr. Harold B. Whitten, the hospital superintendent said.

Whitten refused to disclose the 40-year-old man's name for fear that publicity might impede his recovery progress.

The patient ran from a breakfast line in the hospital dining room about 8 a.m. and quickly scrambled 100 feet up the nearby tower to a platform near the top.

He dropped a note that said he would jump unless hospital authorities brought his wife and three children to see him. The highway patrol was asked to find the family and bring it to the hospital.

The patrol used its cars in relays to make the siren and red light race to the hospital, because cars are not permitted to leave their districts.

When the family appeared at the tower base in the mild sunny weather, Whitten shouted up to the man:

"Look, we have your family here now. Come on down and have Christmas dinner."

The man stared briefly and then took off his glasses and began climbing down a steel ladder on the side of the tower.

When he reached the bottom, his 10-year - old son broke from his mother and ran to his father. Both embraced happily and the family walked into the hospital dining room for a Christmas dinner together.

Man Survives As Wife Dies When Two Are Trapped

GALLIPOLIS, Ohio, Dec. 25 (AP)—"I screamed for help until my voice was gone."

Thus did Robert Overstreet, 56, of Williams Lake, near Pontiac, Mich., describe the first seven hours of his Christmas Day, 1954, as he and his wife Estelle, also 56, lay trapped in an overturned automobile in a water-filled ditch near here.

Mrs. Overstreet died of exposure and shock on her way to the hospital in an ambulance about 8 a. m. today. The accident occurred about midnight last night.

Her husband, the hospital said, also is suffering from exposure and shock but is in "good" condition.

Throughout the night-long ordeal Overstreet held his wife's head out of water which seeped into the car from the ditch.

A passing motorist finally discovered the couple shortly after 7 a. m. today and called for help.

They were taken to Holzer Hospital here in an ambulance of the Thomas funeral home.

Overstreet told Mrs. Steve Thomas, wife of the funeral home owner, that he tried kicking out the window after his screams failed to bring aid. This too failed because of the walls of the ditch.

He never lost consciousness, though his wife was unconscious when taken from the automobile.

The automobile turned over in a water-filled ditch on U. S. 35, a highly traveled highway between Dayton, Ohio, and Charleston, W. Va. They had been on their way to visit a daughter, Mrs. Homer A. Thurman Jr., of Cedar Grove, about 20 miles from Charleston.

Gallia County Coroner Donald R. Warehime said he placed the time of the accident as about midnight, since a watch on the woman's arm was stopped at that time.

Oil Heiress Dies In Apartment Fire

TULSA, Okla., Dec. 25 (AP)—Mrs. Marie Foster Kane Smith, 44, Tulsa and Bartlesville, Okla., oil heiress, died today in the flames of her swank apartment here.

Her father, the late H. V. Foster, at one time was rated the richest man on "paper" in the United States. Foster was president of the I. T. J. O. Oil Co., which brought in the fabulously wealthy south Oklahoma City field in 1928.

Asst. Fire Chief Ralph McCall said apparently a cigarette started the blaze and Mrs. Smith died of burns and asphyxiation.

3 Flying Home To U. S. Among Roster Of Dead

Scotland Scene Of Flaming Tragedy; 8 Persons Escape

PRESTWICK, Scotland, Dec. 25—UP—Three passengers going to their homes in the United States for Christmas were listed Saturday night among the 28 who died in the flaming wreckage of a British Stratocruiser here.

Seven crewmen and one passenger survived the holocaust. The giant plane, flying from London to New York, dropped down through the murk and cracked up on the runway, bursting into flames early Saturday.

Among the victims were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wayland of Evanston, Ill., and Kenneth Davidson, 49, a Briton who lived in Bronxville, N. Y. A former world amateur badminton champion, Davidson was returning from a badminton promotion tour of Malaya and India.

In Evanston, Dr. and Mrs. Walter Mayland were reported to have been visiting their daughter and son-in-law in the diplomatic service at Cairo.

Sir Miles Thomas, chairman of the government - operated British Overseas Airways, extended thanks Saturday night to gallant U. S. service men stationed at this trans-Atlantic air terminal who helped hold down the toll.

Thomas flew to the scene and began an investigation. No explanation for the crash had been offered.

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Waiting at the airport for one of the passengers was Airman 1-C John Nelson of Oklahoma City. The passenger was his fiancee, Nancy Campbell. A BOAC employe in London, flying home to spend Christmas with Nelson.

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Also hospitalized after the accident was Mrs. Francis P. Woods, wife of the driver of the other car. Her condition was not immediately known.

State police said Willie Rome, 23, Lockport, drowned in a bayou when he was trapped in a car that went out of control. The accident occurred south of Raceland, near the intersection of U.S. 90 and state route 29.

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Five members of the tenant farm families were injured in the explosion at 10:30 p.m. (CST) 12 miles south of here.

Authorities said the Ruel Montana and Pete Santana families were firing up the stove to prepare hot tamales for their Christmas Eve celebration.

The families were at the farm of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Cook, in east Arkansas.

Santana, 44, and one of his daughters, were taken to Cross County Hospital, Wynne, Ark. The daughter, Mary Ann, 14, was treated and dismissed.

Santana, burned around the head, face and back, is in serious condition.

Santana's wife at first escaped, but she returned to the flaming house to rescue her baby and was killed.

Mrs. Cook said it was believed that kerosene thrown on a smouldering wood fire in the stove caused the tragedy.

The girl, Mary Ann Santana said she and her two months old brother were in the kitchen and all the rest of the two families were in the living room around the stove. The baby died enroute to a Memphis, Tenn., hospital.

Killed were five other Santana children, besides the baby. All were younger than 14 year old Mary Ann.

Both families had been tenants on the Cook place for more than a year, Mrs. Cook said.

Mrs. Montana was the only one not taken to a hospital. She suffered burns, but was treated on the scene.

Mrs. Cook said bodies of most of the dead were burned beyond recognition. Three Montana children were killed.

Policy Leaders To Avoid Fight Over McCarthy

WASHINGTON, Dec. 25 —UP— Senate Republican policy makers are determined to avoid a fight over Sen. Joseph R. McCarthy's committee assignments in the new Congress, despite the threats of Sen.-elect Clifford P. Case (R-N.J.)

Even if Case follows through with his announced plan to deprive McCarthy of all assignments, he is headed for certain failure, Republican sources said Saturday.

Behind the scenes, key GOP senators are expected to urge Case not to make the try—partly for the sake of party harmony but mainly because he faces sure defeat.

Case has said he would demand a Senate vote on all committee assignments for McCarthy. He took his position after the Wisconsin Republican tried to bring about his defeat in the recent New Jersey election.

McCarthy holds seats on the Government Operations committee, of which he is chairman, and also on the Appropriations and rules committees. Under the new Senate alignment when the Democrats take over Jan. 5, he may have to forfeit one of his seats. McCarthy's Permanent Investigating subcommittee is under Government Operations.

Although McCarthy has not indicated what committees he will request, he is expected to remain on the Government Operations and Appropriations groups and possibly relinquish Rules, to which he was assigned only recently.

In announcing his plans, Case apparently overlooked the fact that the Congressional Reorganization Act requires each senator to serve on two committees. Some senior senators get three posts.

Every Senate committee also has authority by law to investigate and power to subpena witnesses. Therefore, keeping McCarthy from any investigating committee would clash with Senate rules and the reorganization rule.

Under senate procedures, committee assignments are officially made by the Senate itself. However, for all practical purposes, they are made by the two parties, and Senate ratification is virtually automatic. Almost without exception, seniority is rigidly followed by each party.

Minister Kills Former Husband Of His Ex-Wife

WATSONVILLE, Calif., Dec. 25 —UP—A self-ordained minister shot and killed his ex-wife's husband early Saturday because "he said something that vexed and irked me."

Booked on a murder charge by Watsonville police was Henry Herman Webb, 46, of Seagraves, Tex., who police identified as a part-time minister of the Church of God of Texas and a full-time farmer.

He declined to say what "vexed him" into whipping out a .22 caliber target pistol in the midst of an argument and pumping two shots into the head and three into the body of Steven Bradley Kirkendoll, 44, Watsonville.

However, police said they believed the argument was over the paternity of Mrs. Kirkendoll's four months old child. She was divorced early this year from Webb.

After the shooting, Webb walked to the sheriff's office and surrendered to two deputies who were reporting for work with the statement: "I'm the man you want for the shooting."

Police said Webb arrived in Watsonville Friday night from Texas and called on his former wife Erma, 37, also a self-ordained minister. The argument ensued.

28 Lives Lost In Wreck Of Giant British Plane

Draftees To Be Released At Fast Rate

WASHINGTON, Dec. 25 —UP—The Army plans to release thousands of draftees ahead of schedule next year to carry out the sharp manpower cut ordered by the White House, officials revealed Saturday.

Other steps in the cutback include early release of some reserve officers, extended deferment from active duty of reserve officers training corps graduates, and the already announced reduction in the monthly draft calls from 20,000 to 11,000.

President Eisenhower recently directed a 243,000-man cut in the Army by next summer. This will reduce strength to 1.1 million men or 73,000 more than planned until a few weeks ago. The Army also was ordered to cut out an additional 100,000 by mid-1956, levelling off at one million.

Military sources said it is a certainty the Army cannot now man the 24 divisions announced as its goal last Sept. 29. They foresee only 19 or 20 divisions but said the exact number still must be worked out.

Under present plans, all two-year draftees completing 23 months service next May will be released at that time. Those completing 22 months in June will be released then. This "pre-release" policy will prevail for several months in fiscal 1956, starting next July 1.

From next March to September, the Army also plans to release reserve officers serving their first 24-month tours after they complete only 21 months. Exceptions are chaplains, medical officers and women officers.

Men overseas will be brought home in time for separation under the new schedule.

Remaining cuts will come from "normal attrition"—deaths, retirements, and failure of men to reenlist.

The Navy and Marine Corps were ordered to reduce respectively from 692,000 now to 665,000 next June 30 and 650,000 in mid - 1956, and from 222,000 now to 205,000 next June 30 and 190,000 in mid-1956.

Only the Air Force continues to build up, from 961,000 now to 970,000 next June 30 and 975,000 in mid-1956.

Celebrates 103rd Birthday, Which Is On Christmas

LIBERTY, Ind. Dec. 25 (AP)—Christmas Day was both a merry Christmas and a happy birthday, her 103rd, for sprightly Miss Emmaline Kelly today.

She spent the day in the Union County Infirmary, where she has lived since 1950, greeting friends and opening presents.

What seemed to please her most was the 104 letters and cards she received, and most of all was the letter from Mrs. Mamie Eisenhower, sent from the White House.

It read:

The holiday has a double, pleasant meaning for you, I understand, because you celebrate a birthday on Christmas Day, this year your 103rd.

"I hope that you will accept my most cordial and sincere congratulations on this occasion.

"You must have a great many dear and cherished memories of this special day in the years gone by and I know that when you can be persuaded to tell of them you bring great pleasure to your listeners.

"May you continue to enjoy the peace and enduring happiness so richly yours for many years to come.

"Happy birthday, merry Christmas and the best new year ever."

The presents included baskets of fruit, shawls, handkerchiefs and many other articles.

"She shares her gifts with all the others here," said Mrs. Charles Brown, matron of the infirmary.

Miss Kelly's observation on living to be 103 was:

"That's an awful long time. I'm thankful for my health."

A year ago, she said she had no formula for living to old age.

"I just believe God wanted me to live long," she said.

Ava In Berlin

BERLIN (AP)—Film actress Ava Gardner arrived here today by plane for a Christmas visit with soldiers in the local U. S. Army hospital. Miss Gardner is on a world tour.



HITCHES RIDE WITH IKE—William Grayson Peters, 21, a fourth year West Point cadet, embraces his mother at his home in Albany, Ga., as he arrives home for the Christmas holidays. Cadet Peters, seeking a lift south, was given a ride from Washington, D. C., to Augusta, Ga., with President and Mrs. Eisenhower aboard the "Columbine." The mother is Mrs. W. E. Peters. (AP Wirephoto)

Mental Patient Climbs 100-Foot Water Tower In Demand To See Family

NORMAN, Okla., Dec. 25 —UP—A mental patient broke loose from a breakfast line in a state hospital dining room Saturday and climbed 100 feet up a water tower where he perched four hours—demanding to see his family for Christmas.

He finally was coaxed down by the sight of his wife and three children, who were rushed to the hospital in state highway patrol cars from their home in Ardmore, Okla., 84 miles away.

He also was promised a Christmas dinner with his family. They dined together in the hospital dining room after he climbed down from a platform near the tower top, from where he had threatened to jump unless the family were brought to see him.

Officials at Central State Hospital refused to permit firemen or police to climb the tower, which is located on the hospital grounds.

Firemen said they had no net strong enough to break a fall from that height.

While the race was going on to get the man's family to him, he lolled quietly on the platform.

"He was so disturbed and yet so deliberate we thought he would yield (and come down) if we complied with his request," Dr. Harold B. Whitten, the hospital superintendent said.

Whitten refused to disclose the 40-year-old man's name for fear that publicity might impede his recovery progress.

The patient ran from a breakfast line in the hospital dining room about 8 a.m. and quickly scrambled 100 feet up the nearby tower to a platform near the top.

He dropped a note that said he would jump unless hospital authorities brought his wife and three children to see him. The highway patrol was asked to find the family and bring it to the hospital.

The patrol used its cars in relays to make the siren and red light race to the hospital, because cars are not permitted to leave their districts.

When the family appeared at the tower base in the mild sunny weather, Whitten shouted up to the man:

"Look, we have your family here now. Come on down and have Christmas dinner."

The man stared briefly and then took off his glasses and began climbing down a steel ladder on the side of the tower.

When he reached the bottom, his 10-year - old son broke from his mother and ran to his father. Both embraced happily and the family walked into the hospital dining room for a Christmas dinner together.

Man Survives As Wife Dies When Two Are Trapped

GALLIPOLIS, Ohio, Dec. 25 (AP)—"I screamed for help until my voice was gone."

Thus did Robert Overstreet, 56, of Williams Lake, near Pontiac, Mich., describe the first seven hours of his Christmas Day, 1954, as he and his wife Estelle, also 56, lay trapped in an overturned automobile in a water-filled ditch near here.

Mrs. Overstreet died of exposure and shock on her way to the hospital in an ambulance about 8 a. m. today. The accident occurred about midnight last night.

Her husband, the hospital said, also is suffering from exposure and shock but is in "good" condition.

Throughout the night-long ordeal Overstreet held his wife's head out of water which seeped into the car from the ditch.

A passing motorist finally discovered the couple shortly after 7 a. m. today and called for help.

They were taken to Holzer Hospital here in an ambulance of the Thomas funeral home.

Overstreet told Mrs. Steve Thomas, wife of the funeral home owner, that he tried kicking out the window after his screams failed to bring aid. This too failed because of the walls of the ditch.

He never lost consciousness, though his wife was unconscious when taken from the automobile.

The automobile turned over in a water-filled ditch on U. S. 35, a highly traveled highway between Dayton, Ohio, and Charleston, W. Va. They had been on their way to visit a daughter, Mrs. Homer A. Thurman Jr., of Cedar Grove, about 20 miles from Charleston.

Gallia County Coroner Donald R. Warehime said he placed the time of the accident as about midnight, since a watch on the woman's arm was stopped at that time.

Oil Heiress Dies In Apartment Fire

TULSA, Okla., Dec. 25 (AP)—Mrs. Marie Foster Kane Smith, 44, Tulsa and Bartlesville, Okla., oil heiress, died today in the flames of her swank apartment here.

Her father, the late H. V. Foster, at one time was rated the richest man on "paper" in the United States. Foster was president of the I. T. I. O. Oil Co., which brought in the fabulously wealthy south Oklahoma City field in 1928.

Asst. Fire Chief Ralph McCall said apparently a cigarette started the blaze and Mrs. Smith died of burns and asphyxiation.

Avalanche Kills 4

FIONNAY, Switzerland (AP)—Four Swiss workers were killed Christmas Eve by a gigantic avalanche that crashed down the side of Grand Combin Mountain. Two other men were dug out only slightly injured.

The six were sleeping in a hut on the mountainside when the slide buried them.

3 Flying Home To U. S. Among Roster Of Dead

Scotland Scene Of Flaming Tragedy; 8 Persons Escape

PRESTWICK, Scotland, Dec. 25—UP—Three passengers going to their homes in the United States for Christmas were listed Saturday night among the 28 who died in the flaming wreckage of a British Stratocruiser here.

Seven crewmen and one passenger survived the holocaust. The giant plane, flying from London to New York, dropped down through the murk and cracked up on the runway, bursting into flames early Saturday.

Among the victims were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wayland of Evanston, Ill., and Kenneth Davidson, 49, a Briton who lived in Bronxville, N. Y. A former world amateur badminton champion, Davidson was returning from a badminton promotion tour of Malaya and India.

In Evanston, Dr. and Mrs. Walter Mayland were reported to have been visiting their daughter and son-in-law in the diplomatic service at Cairo.

Sir Miles Thomas, chairman of the government - operated British Overseas Airways, extended thanks Saturday night to gallant U. S. service men stationed at this trans-Atlantic air terminal who helped hold down the toll.

Thomas flew to the scene and began an investigation. No explanation for the crash had been offered.

It swiftly transformed gay holiday plans into stark tragedy.

Waiting at the airport for one of the passengers was Airman 1-C John Nelson of Oklahoma City. The passenger was his fiancee, Nancy Campbell, A BOAC employe in London, flying home to spend Christmas with Nelson.

An official who broke the news to him said he sat in a chair near a lighted Christmas tree and wept.

Nine of the passengers were BOAC employes homebound for the holiday season. Only the Waylands, Davidson and a Jamaican

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Holiday Death Toll In State Climbs To 3

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Three persons died violent deaths in Louisiana yesterday, one in a two-car collision, another drowned in a bayou after a car went out of control and the third burned to death.

Dr. Warren Johnston, 56, pastor of the Baton Rouge First Methodist Church, received fatal injuries in a two-car collision Christmas Eve on his way to church services. He died early Christmas Day and his wife was in serious condition at Baton Rouge General Hospital.

Also hospitalized after the accident was Mrs. Francis P. Woods, wife of the driver of the other car. Her condition was not immediately known.

State police said Willie Rome, 23, Lockport, drowned in a bayou when he was trapped in a car that went out of control. The accident occurred south of Raceland, near the intersection of U.S. 90 and state route 29.

New Orleans firemen said Cleasy Glaspy, 46-year-old Negro woman, burned to death early Christmas when flames swept through several apartments in a two-story downtown building. Other residents fled without injury.

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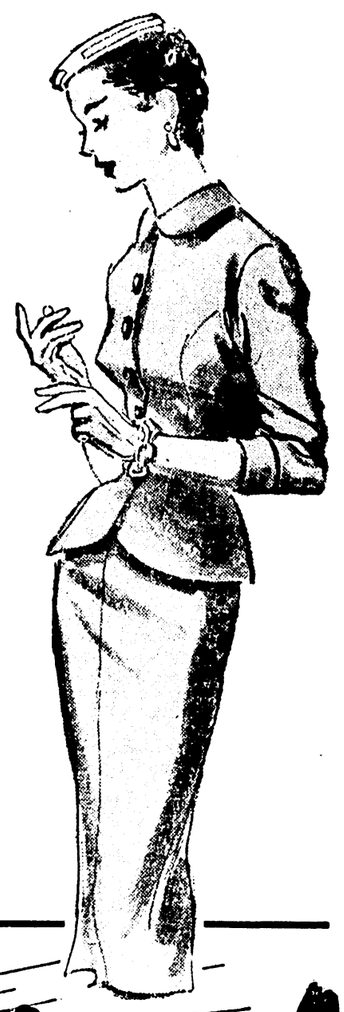
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Point number three is especially intriguing. Should a federal agency be empowered to decide whether rain is needed in northern, central or southern Louisiana? What if a farmer growing one crop needs rain, but his neighbor growing another crop stands to lose money if he gets too much moisture?

The committee has hired a legal consultant to look into just such problems, and the legal ramifications of weather control will be included in the final report to the President.

Orville describes himself as "neutral" on the question of whether citizens in parched areas have been wasting their money by hiring the rain-makers. However, he's been in close touch with the experiments since they gathered steam in 1946.

He has said most experts agree that a rainfall increase of 10 per cent can be induced by seeding clouds with silver iodide or dry ice. Under favorable conditions, there is evidence that the increase is much greater.

Skeptics claim no one has shown the rain-makers have ever made it rain where it wouldn't have rained anyway, without their efforts.

Orville said the committee also is eager for information on the possibility of preventing tornadoes and dissipating smog. Many scientists feel that "twisters" often could be prevented by seeding dangerous-looking thunderheads before the death-dealing tornadoes are born.

Possible military uses of weather control are sure to be considered if the committee returns a favorable report. A nation which could cause drought or floods in the enemy homeland might not need the H-bomb.

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Space Cultists Disappointed In Saucer Drivers

CHICAGO, Dec. 25 —UP—Dr. Charles Laughead wouldn't have been surprised if his friends the "connoiters" had yanked him into outer space Friday night. But he kept his feet on the ground.

As 100 persons watched, Laughead and some fellow believers sang Christmas carols and waited to be "lifted up" from the earth.

Laughead commented afterwards "I think maybe it was our spirits that were lifted."

If this was so, Mrs. Dorothy Martin's latest prediction came off better than did her forecast of a tidal wave last Tuesday.

Mrs. Martin, who relays "messages" from outer space to Laughead, warned Chicago that it was due for destruction. But, aside from a few snow flurries, Chicago didn't even get damp.

Friday the 53-year-old grandmother announced that she, Laughead, and any one who wanted to go along would be "lifted up" from her front lawn in suburban Oak Park at exactly 6 p.m.

Later, Mrs. Martin said she was speaking in the spiritual sense, but Laughead apparently felt he might spend Christmas in outer space.

The ousted Michigan State College doctor said the space men—he calls them "connoiters"—"sent a message that we should be packed and waiting at 6 p.m. Christmas Eve."

He admitted he couldn't be sure he would blast off because "these space boys — they're unpredictable."

Laughead, Mrs. Martin and a few others turned up on the front lawn on schedule. Following the "connoiters'" instructions, they sang Christmas carols.

Neighborhood children passed up the televised space adventures of Captain Video" to be on hand in case the spacemen showed up.

But, as the deadline passed, Laughead said it looked like no one was coming. Maybe the crowd scared the space men away, he said.

As he returned to Mrs. Martin's home, Laughead said "as far as we know" he would spend Christmas on the earth.

"We just live from day to day," Laughead said.

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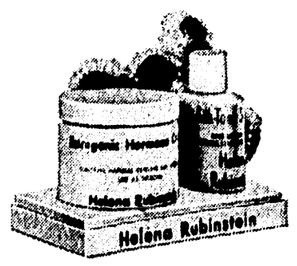
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Point number three is especially intriguing. Should a federal agency be empowered to decide whether rain is needed in northern, central or southern Louisiana? What if a farmer growing one crop needs rain, but his neighbor growing another crop stands to lose money if he gets too much moisture?

The committee has hired a legal consultant to look into just such problems, and the legal ramifications of weather control will be included in the final report to the President.

Orville describes himself as "neutral" on the question of whether citizens in parched areas have been wasting their money by hiring the rain-makers. However, he's been in close touch with the experiments since they gathered steam in 1946.

He has said most experts agree that a rainfall increase of 10 per cent can be induced by seeding clouds with silver iodide or dry ice. Under favorable conditions, there is evidence that the increase is much greater.

Skeptics claim no one has shown the rain-makers have ever made it rain where it wouldn't have rained anyway, without their efforts.

Orville said the committee also is eager for information on the possibility of preventing tornadoes and dissipating smog. Many scientists feel that "twisters" often could be prevented by seeding dangerous-looking thunderheads before the death-dealing tornadoes are born.

Possible military uses of weather control are sure to be considered if the committee returns a favorable report. A nation which could cause drought or floods in the enemy homeland might not need the H-bomb.

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Space Cultists Disappointed In Saucer Drivers

CHICAGO, Dec. 25 —UP—Dr. Charles Laughead wouldn't have been surprised if his friends the "connoiters" had yanked him into outer space Friday night. But he kept his feet on the ground.

As 100 persons watched, Laughead and some fellow believers sang Christmas carols and waited to be "lifted up" from the earth.

Laughead commented afterwards "I think maybe it was our spirits that were lifted."

If this was so, Mrs. Dorothy Martin's latest prediction came off better than did her forecast of a tidal wave last Tuesday.

Mrs. Martin, who relays "messages" from outer space to Laughead, warned Chicago that it was due for destruction. But, aside from a few snow flurries, Chicago didn't even get damp.

Friday the 53-year-old grandmother announced that she, Laughead, and any one who wanted to go along would be "lifted up" from her front lawn in suburban Oak Park at exactly 6 p.m.

Later, Mrs. Martin said she was speaking in the spiritual sense, but Laughead apparently felt he might spend Christmas in outer space.

The ousted Michigan State College doctor said the space men—he calls them "connoiters"—"sent a message that we should be packed and waiting at 6 p.m. Christmas Eve."

He admitted he couldn't be sure he would blast off because "these space boys — they're unpredictable."

Laughead, Mrs. Martin and a few others turned up on the front lawn on schedule. Following the "connoiters'" instructions, they sang Christmas carols.

Neighborhood children passed up the televised space adventures of Captain Video" to be on hand in case the spacemen showed up.

But, as the deadline passed, Laughead said it looked like no one was coming. Maybe the crowd scared the space men away, he said.

As he returned to Mrs. Martin's home, Laughead said "as far as we know" he would spend Christmas on the earth.

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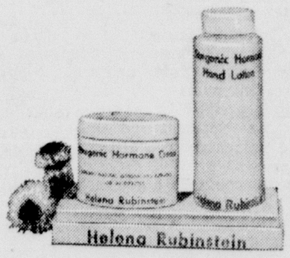
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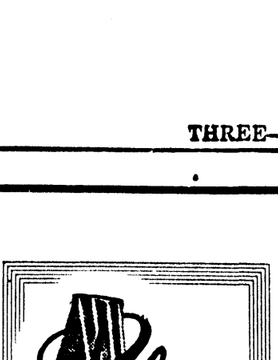
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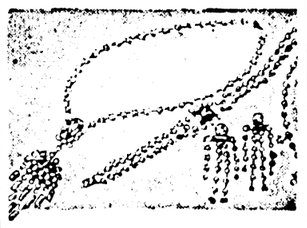
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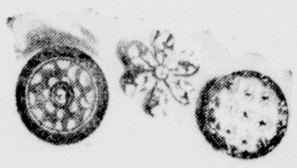
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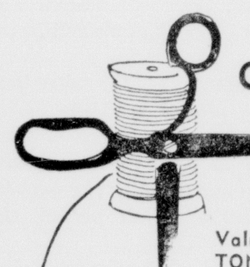
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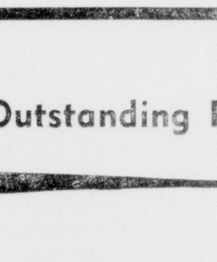
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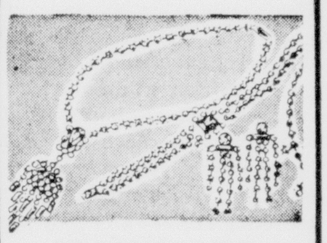
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1955—
Appraisal For Destiny

Christmas is over for another year. The nation awakens this morning after one of the grandest Christmases on record, to the rude world ahead. Though the Christmas trees are still up, the American people must immediately awaken themselves to the realization of what they face in the coming year.

There is not the slightest necessity for glossing over the disreputable record of the year past with its destruction of the Senate, increased Communist prestige and strength and gradual decline of the United States. Today and tomorrow are what is so important and not what has happened in the past.

New Year's resolutions which are made to be broken, had best be made and kept this coming year. One of the best is the idea that one should pay careful attention to what is happening all over the world instead of just here in Monroe. The reasoning for this unpopular statement is tragically simple—what happens elsewhere in the world concerns you in the most vital manner. An insignificant troop movement here, an air incident there, a new rail line in the other place could mean your destruction or at least a complete change in your lives.

The Morning World is not in the business of predicting coming events due to the fact that it has not come into possession of a crystal ball of any type, but certain factors can be taken into consideration in order to arrive at a reasonable conclusion for assuming the future.

One is forced to consider the coming year in four categories: national events, national political events, international events and international political events. In this manner, (using these "categories"), you should be able to arrive at some type of conclusion. It is necessary to consider each category and then, tie them together to picture the world scene.

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The National Scene

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In the United States, the new congress will, according to present indications, be Democrat controlled. 1955 will be the big year in the minds of the forces of internationalism who fervently hope to redraft the "U. N. Charter" giving that world body more power over the sovereignty of the United States. This international problem is tied directly to the American political picture due to the complexion of the new congress. The Senate lineup is somewhat to the left, the administration Republicans and many Democrats strong in support of such a redraft as is being proposed by the President's special committee. Seemingly unimportant, this fight will be one of the greatest importance on the American scene in 1955.

Senator Bricker has proposed another amendment to the constitution along the lines of his defeated proposal of this year.

The congress is expected to consider the aid to Asia bill and such a program as has been proposed, is almost certain to be defeated. It is wrong to assume that the United States should pour billions into the wastebasket which is Europe while the Asians received hardly a cent, but it is just as wrong to assume that the taxpayers should attempt to buy new friends in the Orient.

Among the most important items to be discussed in 1955, barring no conflict, will be the foreign policy to be adopted by the government. The President states that he stands for "progressive modernism." What that is, has never been successfully explained except to say that the British Fabians had used that exact slogan more than 40 years ago in their programs to rule the British Isle. If "progressive modernism" refers to more "peaceful co-existence," the Russians have already destroyed that aspect in their war-like actions of recent date.

On the American scene in the coming year will be the infighting among political groups for control of the coming 1956 campaigns. The most important of these infights will be inside the Republican party by parties who have attempted with great success to reduce the Republican party to a carbon copy of the "Americans For Democratic Action."

The conservative forces have seemingly aligned themselves under Senator Joe McCarthy against the administration. There are other behind the scenes leaders in this battle such as Senators Welker and Jenner who are said to be extremely powerful men. The Knowland position is not clear as yet. The left forces in the GOP are expected to "draft" the President for another term.

In each state, including this one, the battle for control of state organizations of the Republican party is underway.

In the Democrat party, there will be peace, at least, at the convention because the Democrats are sensible enough to realize that self sabotage results in self destruction. However, the ideological lines of "fault" are the same and perhaps even more so, but they have mellowed with years and with the prospects of victory in 1956 due to Republican stupidity and also due to certain deliberate sabotage within Republican ranks by numerous administration officials who term themselves "Republicans."

Here in Louisiana, the political infighting will be as severe as anywhere else in the nation with state Democrats clawing and scratching to gain a foothold on the icy slopes of public opinion. There are apparently two segments in this situation, the Long faction and the Kennon group. There are other "splinter groups" but these two are the present centers of attention. The next governor could be either Long (Earl) or one of his proteges, or one of the Kennon camp or alike political philosophy.

On the American scene in 1955, the flood control projects will be a center of attention. Moreover, the armed services will come into some discussion as the Army, the Navy, and the Marine Corps have been slashed again to help build a powerful Air Force. Moreover, orders from headquarters have come through to the extent that the Generals and Admirals are to defend that which they loathe and despise and "like it." This curious phenomenon comes at the same time as information from the Communists states arrives carrying the information that the Communists are building even more powerful armies and navies.

1955 will indeed be an active year in the lives of the American people who will face some of the most trying problems in the history of their national existence.

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The International Picture

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Overseas, the year 1955 will be cataclysmic in importance for the American people who are apparently considered "leaders of the world" although there are many nations of the world who don't want to be led.

The battle against the International Marxist conspiracy while being fought here at home in the congress and elsewhere, is never so hot as it is right on the front lines of Europe. Perhaps the most important and most dangerous aspect arising in Europe (and in Asia) is the "Neutrality League." This is a group of nations which are forming an alliance in desperate hopes that they will be able to keep out of a war with the Soviet Union. They are hoping that the two Goliaths, the United States and the Soviets will fight it out by themselves.

Astounding enough, the unheralded leaders in this league are not the Danes, or the Swedes, or even the Indians, they are the British and the French who are hoping to pick up the pieces left after the battle is over. If you will consult your recent history books, you will be certain to realize that the same maneuver was attempted in 1937, 1938 and 1939 with the resulting nightmare.

In name, the "Neutrality League" is composed of the Scandanavian nations, Holland, Yugoslavia, Indonesia, India, Burma and Switzerland. It is being pushed by the Soviet international conspiracy from behind the scenes. If it is successful, the free world will have suffered a stinging and disastrous defeat. The Western nations seem unable to realize that while the Communists nations speak of peace, they are preparing for war.

Leaders in the free nations seem to believe that they can deal with the Marxists on a basis as was used before the past great war. Marxism being Marxism, such is impossible. The "Neutrality League" will seriously affect the American people due to the fact that installations prepared by the United States in some of these nations will be jeopardized as well as will the ability of these countries to defend themselves against Communist aggression.

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German Rearmament—Crisis In 1955?

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Hiding in the shadows of intrigue and desperation before the coming firefight, is the rearmament of the Reich. Few Americans seem to realize it, but the Russians have flatly stated for all to hear, that they "cannot accept" a rearmed Germany. This is the "number one" opposition point for them and they are desperately attempting by all means short of war, to avoid this aspect. There are conservative thinkers who seriously believe that the Russians will march before they permit a German rearmament.

But then, this is tied to two other major conclusions and propositions. The first is of course, American possession of the Strategic Air Force and the ability to deliver loads of hydrogen weapons to all points of Russia and her satellites. The second is the rushing completion of the Trans-Siberian rail roads. As late as Thursday, word was received from Taipeh that the Chinese Soviets and the Russians had driven the last spike in the line running between Ulan Bator and Peiking. This was not expected for another nine months, thus demonstrating signs of desperate energy.

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I read about all those 18,000 farmers in the Dec. 14 issue of News-Star about their having short crops due to the drouth.

I am one of those 18,000 farmers. I believe it is our own fault because we have forgotten where our water comes from.

We try to pay for everything we buy; but we don't think of our water bill, we should thank God for that.

You find in the Bible in the book of Leviticus, Chapter 28, Verses 3-4, it is written, "If ye walk in my statutes and keep my commandments and do them, then I will give you rain in due season, and the land shall yield her increase and the trees of the field shall yield their fruit."

I believe we should have more faith in God and do His will. Read the 23rd Psalms and trust in God.

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Will Ike Run Again?

Despite conviction that President Eisenhower will be forced to run for a second term, he is very reluctant in his own mind about his future course, has privately expressed resentment over premature boom for him by leading Republicans.

He looks forward to peaceful retirement on his new farm near Gettysburg, Pa. If he were re-elected, he would be over 70 at the conclusion of his second term, the oldest president in history.

Prediction is still that he will be the Republican candidate, will be renominated either by forced draft, as was Franklin D. Roosevelt in 1940, or if he really balks, by a real draft.

Blow the Man Down — More Democrats are taking renomination of Adlai Stevenson for granted, following apparent demonstration of strength at New Orleans. He himself is reportedly ready to run, but will defer announcement until late 1955. His biggest handicap is six million vote lead of Eisenhower in 1952. Report from Democratic grass roots is that Ike's lead would be less today, but he would still have a comfortable edge in popular vote.

That is the reason Paul Butler, new Democratic chairman has centered his attack on President, working to discredit him. Prediction is that if present economic condition is unchanged, Butler's plan can harm rather than help the Democratic cause.

Tax Free Foundations Due For Argument — Representative Carroll B. Reece (Rep.-Tenn.) is reported to have written a report blasting most tax free foundations including the Rockefeller, Carnegie and a dozen other funds, including that set up by Dr. Alfred C. Kinsey of Indiana University, author of books on sex behavior. Reece has been determined to picture these foundations as harmful to the American way of life. Other Republicans wish he would let the whole thing drop. Prediction is that he will not have a majority of his committee in favor of his report, may issue it as a minority report.

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1955—
Appraisal For Destiny

Christmas is over for another year. The nation awakens this morning after one of the grandest Christmases on record, to the rude world ahead. Though the Christmas trees are still up, the American people must immediately awaken themselves to the realization of what they face in the coming year.

There is not the slightest necessity for glossing over the disreputable record of the year past with its destruction of the Senate, increased Communist prestige and strength and gradual decline of the United States. Today and tomorrow are what is so important and not what has happened in the past.

New Year's resolutions which are made to be broken, had best be made and kept this coming year. One of the best is the idea that one should pay careful attention to what is happening all over the world instead of just here in Monroe. The reasoning for this unpopular statement is tragically simple—what happens elsewhere in the world concerns you in the most vital manner. An insignificant troop movement here, an air incident there, a new rail line in the other place could mean your destruction or at least a complete change in your lives.

The Morning World is not in the business of predicting coming events due to the fact that it has not come into possession of a crystal ball of any type, but certain factors can be taken into consideration in order to arrive at a reasonable conclusion for assuming the future.

One is forced to consider the coming year in four categories: national events, national political events, international events and international political events. In this manner, (using these "categories"), you should be able to arrive at some type of conclusion. It is necessary to consider each category and then, tie them together to picture the world scene.

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The National Scene

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In the United States, the new congress will, according to present indications, be Democrat controlled. 1955 will be the big year in the minds of the forces of internationalism who fervently hope to redraft the "U. N. Charter" giving that world body more power over the sovereignty of the United States. This international problem is tied directly to the American political picture due to the complexion of the new congress. The Senate lineup is somewhat to the left, the administration Republicans and many Democrats strong in support of such a redraft as is being proposed by the President's special committee. Seemingly unimportant, this fight will be one of the greatest importance on the American scene in 1955.

Senator Bricker has proposed another amendment to the constitution along the lines of his defeated proposal of this year.

The congress is expected to consider the aid to Asia bill and such a program as has been proposed, is almost certain to be defeated. It is wrong to assume that the United States should pour billions into the wastebasket which is Europe while the Asians received hardly a cent, but it is just as wrong to assume that the taxpayers should attempt to buy new friends in the Orient.

Among the most important items to be discussed in 1955, barring no conflict, will be the foreign policy to be adopted by the government. The President states that he stands for "progressive modernism." What that is, has never been successfully explained except to say that the British Fabians had used that exact slogan more than 40 years ago in their programs to rule the British Isle. If "progressive modernism" refers to more "peaceful co-existence," the Russians have already destroyed that aspect in their war-like actions of recent date.

On the American scene in the coming year will be the infighting among political groups for control of the coming 1956 campaigns. The most important of these infights will be inside the Republican party by parties who have attempted with great success to reduce the Republican party to a carbon copy of the "Americans For Democratic Action."

The conservative forces have seemingly aligned themselves under Senator Joe McCarthy against the administration. There are other behind the scenes leaders in this battle such as Senators Welker and Jenner who are said to be extremely powerful men. The Knowland position is not clear as yet. The left forces in the GOP are expected to "draft" the President for another term.

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In the Democrat party, there will be peace, at least, until the convention because the Democrats are sensible enough to realize that self sabotage results in self destruction. However, the ideological lines of "fault" are the same and perhaps even more so, but they have mellowed with years and with the prospects of victory in 1956 due to Republican stupidity and also due to certain deliberate sabotage within Republican ranks by numerous administration officials who term themselves "Republicans."

Here in Louisiana, the political infighting will be as severe as anywhere else in the nation with state Democrats clawing and scratching to gain a foothold on the icy slopes of public opinion. There are apparently two segments in this situation, the Long faction and the Kennon group. There are other "splinter groups" but these two are the present centers of attention. The next governor could be either Long (Earl) or one of his proteges, or one of the Kennon camp or alike political philosophy.

On the American scene in 1955, the flood control projects will be a center of attention. Moreover, the armed services will come into some discussion as the Army, the Navy, and the Marine Corps have been slashed again to help build a powerful Air Force. Moreover, orders from headquarters have come through to the extent that the Generals and Admirals are to defend that which they loathe and despise and "like it." This curious phenomenon comes at the same time as information from the Communists states arrives carrying the information that the Communists are building even more powerful armies and navies.

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German Rearmament—Crisis In 1955?

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Hiding in the shadows of intrigue and desperation before the coming firefight, is the rearmament of the Reich. Few Americans seem to realize it, but the Russians have flatly stated for all to hear, that they "cannot accept" a rearmed Germany. This is the "number one" opposition point for them and they are desperately attempting by all means short of war, to avoid this aspect. There are conservative thinkers who seriously believe that the Russians will march before they permit a German rearmament.

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Survivors include two nephews, Eugene McCrary, Downsville, W. C. King, Mangham; three nieces, Mrs. J. D. Barnett, Borger, Tex.; Mrs. Dessie Hart, Los Angeles, Calif.; Mrs. Dellie Arders, Monroe and one sister, Mrs. Willie McCrary, Downsville.

JERRY DONALD RAMSEY

JONESBORO, Dec. 25 (Special)—Funeral services were held at 3 p.m. Saturday at the Ebenezer Baptist church near Jonesboro for 8-year-old Jerry Donald Ramsey, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Ramsey of Chatham, who was killed in a bicycle-auto accident near here Thursday.

Two Children Injured By Hit, Run Driver

Two Monroe children suffered minor injuries yesterday evening when struck by a hit and run driver in the 4000 block of Pippin Street. Police, who said both children were Negroes, identified them as Douglas Wills, 13, and Lilly Ruth Wills, six, both of 4004 Pippin Street.

Both were taken by Peters ambulance to St. Francis Sanitarium, where they were treated for minor abrasions. Douglas was released after treatment, but Lilly Ruth was held for observation.

An hour after the accident Nathan Wimberly, Negro, of Booker T. Addition, Monroe, surrendered to officers at police headquarters. He had not been booked yesterday evening, pending the outcome of an investigation.

Motorist Drowned

RACELAND, La. (AP) — State police said Willie Rome, 23, Lockport, drowned today when he was trapped in a car that went out of control and plunged into a bayou south of here at the intersection of U. S. 90 and state route 29.

Rites For Soldier Killed In Accident Scheduled Sunday

JONESBORO, Dec. 25 (Special)—An 18-year-old soldier, George Wayne Kelly of Brewton community, Friday night was found crushed to death under a car on a dirt road near his home.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Audie Kelly of Brewton, he was on leave from an army post in Texas. Officers here theorized that he lost control of the vehicle when he swerved to avoid running into a cow. The car rammed into a tree on the side of the road and turned over, pinning the soldier beneath.

Funeral services under the direction of Southern Funeral Home of Winnfield will be held at the Antioch Baptist Church in Brewton Community.

Russian General Dies

MOSCOW (AP)—The Soviet armed forces newspaper Red Star announced today the death of Lt. Gen. Sergei Galadzhev, 52.

One of the Red Army's top administrators, he worked in the Defense Ministry's Central Department during World War II. He was three times awarded the Order of Lenin, Russia's highest decoration, and held several other honors.

Only one jockey has ever won more than one running of the Monmouth Park Handicap. William Hayward won on Drake Carter in 1884 and repeated in 1889 on Eurus.

Correction

Our Ad On Page 4-B Should Read: Evening And Cocktail Dresses 18.85, 35.00 to 59.50 ½ And Less Off.

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Values to 6.98 $3
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Black—White and Colors
Second Floor
$5 Values to $10.98
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Student Day Will Be Held Here Sunday

Christmas Sunday coming the day after Christmas Day offers a unique opportunity of Christmas worship, and the First Methodist Church of Monroe has planned services for the day in keeping with the great festive occasion.

"The Success of Christmas" will be the theme of the minister's morning sermon at 10:50 a.m. "My Conclusions About Jesus Christ" will be the theme at the early Communion service at 8:25 a.m.

As a part of the observance of "student recognition day," Rev. Oscar Cloyd, ministerial student from First Methodist Church now attending Centenary College, will preach at the evening service at 7:30 p.m. on the subject, "The Abundant Life."

This young man has already made a place for himself in the ministry, as he serves the Little Creek and Bee of Prairie churches in addition to his work in Centenary College. He is a past president of the O. P. H. S. Senior class, and an outstanding Centenary student.

Student Night Is Set In Parkview Baptist Church

The Parkview Baptist Church will turn the Sunday night services over to the youth of the church on December 26, at 7:30. The college students, as well as the young people of the church, will serve in many places in the church during the evening.

The order of services:

Hymn: Congregation, "Joy to the World;"

Prayer: Miss Jane New, Louisiana College.

Training Union Report: Skippy Portman, Louisiana Tech.

Hymn: Congregation: "Living For Jesus."

Hymn: Congregation: "Give of Your Best to the Master."

Announcements and introduction of college students, Rev. H. L. Sampson, pastor.

Hymn: "He Lives On High."

Offertory: Betty Scott, pianist; Patricia Hudson, Organist.

Offertory prayer: Jimmy Hudson, Northeast College.

Scripture: Psalms 24. Jimmy Lewis, Louisiana State University.

Choir special: College students and young people of Parkview, "Wherever He Leads I'll Go."

Sermon: Perry Lassiter, Baylor University. Hymn: Congregation, "Softly and Tenderly." Prayer: Skippy Portman. Choral response: "God Be With You." Choir director: Don Sampson, Louisiana College.

College Students: Jimmy Hudson Northeast College; Fred Allen, Louisiana State University; Robert Barnes, Marion Military Academy; Hershel Gentry, Northeast College; Jimmy Lewis, Louisiana State University; Skippy Portman, Louisiana Tech; Walter Sims, Louisiana Tech; Charles Coe, Louisiana Tech; Jay Adams, Louisiana Tech; Miss Barbara Stoler, Northeast College; Miss Billie Marie Fincher, Northwestern College; Miss Pat Ruple, Louisiana Tech; Miss Jane New, Louisiana College; Don Sampson, Louisiana College; Perry Lassiter, Baylor University.

The Young People and Intermediate Departments of the Training Union will assist the college students in the evening service. The public is cordially invited to worship at the Parkview Baptist Church with the members.

Christmas Is Being Shared With Others

Christmas for most Americans is a happy time, spent with families at home, with friends in church. It is also a time for remembering those less fortunate. Through agencies, such as the National Council of Churches and local councils of churches and church women, Americans in sharing with others make Christmas more real for thousands at home and overseas.

In fourteen countries of Europe and Latin America, people who are hungry and in need get a special Christmas gift from the churches of America — more than 600,000 fourteen-pound packages of government surplus foods. Through "Operation Pointsettia" the Christian Rural Overseas Program (CROP) will send abroad the first government food shipped abroad, other than dairy and cottonseed products. Each package will contain flour from surplus wheat, rice, dry beans, beef and gravy, dried milk, butter, cheese, cottonseed oil and shortening.

ANNOUNCE BIRTH

DODSON, Dec. 25 (Special)—Mr and Mrs. Richard McCartny of Shreveport have announced the arrival of a son, weighing seven pounds, ten ounces, in the Martin Hospital in Winnfield. He has been given the name of Robert Wayne. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. I. J. McCartney, Olla; and maternal Mr. and Mrs. Joe W. Hughen, Dodson.

Come To Church Today

BAPTIST

FAIR PARK BAPTIST CHURCH
White's Ferry Road
West Monroe, Louisiana

Rev. C. C. Martin, pastor.
Mr. Elza Smith, choir director.
Miss Eva Smith, pianist.
Sunday school 10.00, Mr. Allen Brooks, supt.
Morning worship, 11:00.
Training Union, 6:30, Mr. G. A. Alexander, director.
Evening worship, 7:30.
Prayer meeting, Wednesday at 7:00 to be followed by all organizations meeting at 7:45. Choir practice at 8:30. Visitors always welcome.

EDGEWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH
501 Travis, West Monroe

O. P. Bazer, pastor.
9:45 a.m. Sunday school D. E. Walker, superintendent.
10:50 morning worship pastor's sermon: "Job Takes Inventory." Job 1:20-22
6:30 p.m. Training Union R. D. Baker, director.
7:30 p.m. evening service. Emphasizing "Student Night" in which we honor all students home for the holidays. Rev. Max Gray will be the featured speaker and others will have part on program.
Opportunities for next week:
Wednesday 7:00 p.m. Teachers' and Officers' meeting 7:30 p.m. prayer meeting 8:15 p.m. choir practice.
Thursday 7:00 p.m. R.A.'s meet.
Be sure to attend the church of your choice on this the last Lord's Day of the old year. Make a New Year resolution to attend church and actively support it every week next year! Happy New Year!

HIGHLAND PARK BAPTIST CHURCH
Roberts Ave.

C. B. Thompson, pastor
Sunday school 9:45 a.m.
Morning worship 11:00 a.m. Sermon: "Jesus Christ and the New Year."
Training Union 6:30 p.m.
Evening worship, 7:30 p.m. Sermon: "The Significance of the Name Jesus."
Wednesday:
6:45 p.m., teachers and officers' meeting.
7:30 p.m. prayer and Bible study.
"A friendly church where friendly worshiping people meet to worship." Highland Park Baptist Church is located seven blocks off the Loop Road on Roberts Ave.

TEMPLE BAPTIST CHURCH
601 Plum St.

W. Leon Ivey, pastor
A cordial welcome awaits you at the Temple Baptist Church this Lord's Day. Be sure and attend worship services somewhere this Lord's Day. If you have not been in services this year, today is your last opportunity.
The pastor will speak at both services Sunday. At the morning hour his subject will be "The Blessing of the Gospel" and at the evening worship hour there will be an evangelistic hour.
Mr. and Mrs. John Mitchell, former members of Temple who are home for the holidays will sing at the morning service. The evening music program will feature the young people of the church.
Sunday school 9:45
Morning Worship, 11:00.
Training Union, 6:30
Evening Worship 7:30.
GA and RA and Sunbeams Friday, 7:30.
Teachers Meeting Friday, 7:30.
Watch night service Friday.
The church will observe a watch night service Friday evening. The regular mid-week services will be put off until Friday evening and there with the Boy Scouts in charge of that service. The church will remain in session until the old year is gone and the New Year has arrived.
A covered dish supper will be served Friday at 6:45 p.m. All members are urged to come and bring a covered dish and have the evening meal together. A program will follow until the New Year has arrived.
The nursery is open for all services.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
North Second at Park Avenue
West Monroe

Calendar of Events for the Week of December 26th:
Sunday, Dec. 26th: 6:00 p.m., Junior Fellowship; 6:30 p.m., Fellowship for the Primaries, Intermediates, Young People and Adults.
Tuesday, Dec. 28th: Circles of W. S. C. S. meet in homes, as follows: No. 1 Meeting cancelled. No. 2, Mrs. Chas. Chisholm, 2602 North 11th, 2:00 p.m.; No. 3 Meeting cancelled. No. 4 Mrs. A. C. Lamb, 312 North 3rd, 2:30 p.m.; No. 5, Mrs. Frank Watts, 108 South 2nd, 9:30 a.m.; No. 6, Mrs. A. W. Ash, 111 Draco St., 9:00 a.m.
Wednesday, Dec. 29th: 7:30 p.m., Prayer Meeting, 8:15 p.m. Choir Practice.
Friday, Dec. 31st: 8:45 a.m., Broadcast from the church over KLIC, with Rev. Milton and Mrs. Jack Willis.

METHODIST

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Jackson and Wood Streets
Monroe, Louisiana

Rev. H. L. Johns, D. D., minister.
Rev. E. K. Means, D. D., emeritus.
"The best part of Christmas is the religious part," said a Monroe lady last week. We invite you to "Keep Christ in Christmas" by attending services this Sunday as follows:
8:45 a.m. early communion, theme, "My Conclusions About Jesus Christ."
10:50 a.m. morning worship, sermon, "The Success of Christmas."
9:30 a.m. church school, G. E. Boggs, general superintendent.
5:30 p.m. intermediate M. Y. F.
6:00 p.m. senior M. Y. F.
7:30 p.m. evening worship, sermon, by Rev. Oscar Cloyd, "The Abundant Life."
Today is "student recognition day" and all students are especially invited.
Nurseries for the convenience of families with little ones are maintained under competent management in the educational building.
Dr. John M. Norris of Buenos Aires, Argentina, will be guest speaker at First Methodist Church on Jan. 2-3-4, 1955, in the annual school of missions.
All are cordially invited and welcome.

SOUTHSIDE METHODIST CHURCH
South Fourth at Temple Drive
Monroe

Lex Joyner, minister.
The services of the Southside Methodist Church are as follows:
9:45 a.m. Church school for all ages.
11:00 a.m. Morning worship.
5:30 p.m. Youth choir.
6:30 p.m. Men's choir.
7:30 p.m. Evening worship
Monday: 7:00 p.m. Boy Scout meeting.
Tuesday: 7:30 p.m. Chancel choir rehearsal.
Wednesday: 7:15 prayer meeting.
At the morning service the minister will bring the message "The Might Lord."
At the evening service Ben Clay will bring the message.
A nursery is maintained at both services.

ST. PAUL'S METHODIST CHURCH
Lexington Avenue and Orell

Benjamin Ray Oliphint, Ph. D. minister.
Church school: 9:30 a.m.
Worship service: 10:50 a.m.
Vesper service: 6:00 p.m.
Youth group 6:30 p.m.
A nursery under competent supervision is available for preschool children during church school and church services. We sincerely believe that you will find in St. Paul's a worshipful atmosphere, a friendly people, and religion so interpreted as to make it a vital force in daily living. We invite you and your family to worship with us today!

STONE AVENUE METHODIST CHURCH

L. L. Yeager, Pastor.
M. B. Hearne, Sunday School Supt.
Mrs. M. B. Hearne, Organist.
"The Season's Greetings to All!"
The worship services of the day begin with Sunday School at 9:45 a.m.
Morning worship hour, 10:50 to 11:50. Sermon subject, "All Rivers Run Into the Sea." — Ecc. 1:7.
Youth meetings at 6:30 p.m.
Evangelistic service at 7:30 p.m. This service is designed to help both Christian and un-Christian.
The Woman's Society of Christian Service to meet Tuesday morning at 9:30.
Prayer service, Wednesday evening at 7:30.
The choir rehearses immediately after prayer service.
We invite the public to worship with us. "We are Wesleyan in belief and in teaching."

MEMORIAL METHODIST CHURCH
101 Sherrouse Ave.

Rev. Ralph Cain, pastor.
Edwin C. Rowan, chairman, official board.
J. Herbert Walker, church school supt., C. B. Storms, assistant supt.
Mrs. Irene Nelson, organist, Miss Libby McCoy, pianist.
Mrs. Estelle Sanders, adult choir director.
Mrs. K. M. Willis, junior choir director, Miss Louise Nelson, youth choir director.
Student recognition Sunday.
9:45 o'clock, church school, classes for all ages. Nursery for children beginning at one year.
11:00 o'clock, morning worship: Anthem: adult choir, "Fight the Good Fight." Monsell, directed by Mrs. Estelle Sanders. Sermon: Rev. Vernon Sanders, Duke University Medical School. Communions (first Sundays).
6:00 o'clock, junior fellowship and choir.
6:00 o'clock, Methodist youth fellowship.
7:30 o'clock, evening worship service. Prayer period at the altar. Congregational hymn singing. Special music. Sermon: by the pastor, "Mite-ster."
Fellowship.
Memorial Methodist Church serves the Methodist students at Northeast Louisiana State College through the program of the Wesley Foundation, 105 College Avenue. Rev. Ralph Cain is the director; Mrs. H. E. Pfost the house mother.
Students are invited to use the building for study, recreation, and worship. Noon day luncheons are held on Thursdays at 11:40 a.m.
Guest speaker for today is The Rev. Vernon Sanders, student in the medical school at Duke University.
Guest organist is Alfred Barlow, Beaumont, Texas.

PRESBYTERIAN

THE FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Grammont & Catalpa
Monroe, Louisiana

W. H. McFadden, minister.
The services of the First Presbyterian Church will be held as follows:
9:45 a.m. Church school.
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship.
6:00 p.m. Snack supper for Young People.
6:30 p.m. Young People's program.
7:30 p.m. Christian Student night program.
9:00 a.m. Morning worship, Idlewild.
The topic for the morning worship service will be "Forward With Christ."
At the evening worship service a special program on student work will be given by the college students of our church.
The nursery facilities through church school and morning worship service consist of a room for babies in arms only, another department for two and three-year-old children and a kindergarten for four and five-year-old children. A nursery is also provided in the education services.
Parking facilities are available for those attending Sunday services at the First Presbyterian Church at the Sinclair Service Station, corner Harrison and Catalpa streets.

MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
N. 4th at Mill Street
West Monroe, La.

Hugh E. Bradshaw, Pastor.
9:30 a.m., Sunday school at Highland Chapel. Breard Frantom, Superintendent.
9:45 a.m., Sunday school at Memorial. Harry Liner, superintendent.
11:00 a.m., Morning Worship. Sermon: "The Abiding Glory of Christmas."
6:30 p.m., Story hour at Memorial and Highland Chapel.
7:30 p.m., Evening Worship. This is a Student Night program with our youth considering the subject: "Christian Life on Our Campuses."
A cordial welcome awaits all our friends and visitors at each of our services.

COVENANT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Orell Place at Milton Street

Rev. Wayne W. Gray, minister.
Sunday school, 9:30. Frank V. Spivey, superintendent.
Morning worship, 11:00. Sermon: "The Marks of True Greatness."
There is a greatness that is temporary and then there is a greatness that is eternal. There is a greatness in the eyes of men and a greatness in the eyes of God. Men do not always properly appraise the acts of men but God does. We are speaking today of the things that make for true greatness.
The Pioneers, Seniors, and all prep school and college students at home for the holidays are to meet at the church at 6:00 for supper and a period of fellowship.

FIRST CHRISTIAN

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
(Disciples of Christ)
St. John and Oak Sts.

R. T. Watson, minister.
Mrs. F. O. Sermon, choir director.
Mrs. R. V. Wroten, organist.
Church school at 9:45 a.m.
Worship at 10:50 a.m. The college students, home for the holidays, will be given special recognition in this service. The sermon theme is "The Most Important Person in the World."
Chi Rho and Christian Youth Fellowships at 5:30 p.m.
Worship at 7:30 p.m. William Funderburk, a ministerial student at T. C. U., will bring the message. There will be a solo and an informal song service of your favorite hymns.
Nurseries for pre-school age children are maintained during the church school and morning periods of worship.
You are most cordially invited to all our services.

TRINITY LUTHERAN

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH
300 D'Arbonne Ave.

Arthur Betz, pastor
9:30 a.m., The church school. Lesson subject for the children's classes: "Doing The Will of the Lord." Wm. Hochstetler will be in charge of the devotion.
10:45 a.m., The worship service. The sermon subject: "God's Gracious Revelation to Man Centers in Christ." Officers chosen for the new year will be installed at this service. Organist, Mrs. Eloy Fominaya.
The following men will be inducted into office: Elmer Stock, recording secretary; Arthur Johnson, Jr., treasurer; Carl Johnson, financial secretary; Gustave Miller, Edward C. Reinhardt, Wm. Hochstetler, deacons.
12:30 p.m., The Lutheran Hour over KLIC.
3:30 p.m., Holy Communion worship service will be conducted at Delhi, La.
Tuesday, 7:30 p.m., The church school staff will meet for study.
Friday, 7:30 p.m., The New Years Eve Holy Communion worship service will be conducted. The sermon subject, "A Pilgrim." Organist, Mrs. Eloy Fominaya.
Friday, 7 to 7:30 p.m., Holy Communion registrations will be received at the parish house.
We invite you to worship with us and derive the comfort of the message presented.

GRACE EPISCOPAL

GRACE EPISCOPAL CHURCH
No. Fourth and Glenmar Streets
Monroe, Louisiana

The Rev. John M. Allin, rector.
The Rev. Edward F. Hayward, rector emeritus.
First Sunday after Christmas — St. Stephen.
Holy Eucharist, 7:30 a.m.
Koffee klatch, 8:15 a.m.
Morning prayer, 9:00 a.m.
Holy Eucharist and sermon, 9:45 a.m.
Nursery, parish house, 9:45 a.m.
Kindergarten, parish house, 9:45 a.m.
Fellowship recess, parish house, 11:00 a.m.
Classes, 11:15 a.m.
Evening prayer, 5:30 p.m.
Monday, December 27th.
Morning prayer and Holy Eucharist, 7:00 a.m.
Holy Eucharist, 9:00 a.m.
Tuesday, December 28th.
Morning prayer and Holy Eucharist, 7:00 a.m.
Holy Eucharist, 9:00 a.m.
Wednesday, December 29th.
Holy Eucharist, 9:00 a.m.
Inquirer's class, par sihhouse, 7:30 p.m.
Friday, December 31st.
Morning prayer and Holy Eucharist, 7:00 a.m.
Midnight watch — New Year's Eve, 11:45 p.m.
Saturday, January 1st.
Morning prayer and ante communion, 7:00 a.m.
Holy Eucharist, 9:00 a.m.
Daily: evening prayer 5:30 p.m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST
North Second and Auburn Sts.

"Christian Science" is the subject of the lesson-sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, Sunday, December 26, 1954.
The golden text is: "The prophecy came not in old time by the will of man: but holy men of God spake as they were moved by the Holy Ghost" (II Pet. 1:21).
Among the citations which comprise the lesson-sermon is the following from the Bible: "How beautiful upon the mountains are the feet of him that bringeth good tidings, that publisheth peace; that bringeth good tidings of good, that publisheth salvation; that saith unto Zion, Thy God reigneth!" (Isa. 52:7.)
The lesson-sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "The impersonation of the spiritual idea had a brief history in the earthly life of our master; but "of his kingdom there shall be no end," for Christ, God's idea, will eventually rule all nations and peoples — imperatively, absolutely, finally—with divine science" (365.)
Listen to a 15 minute radio broadcast Sunday at 8:15 a.m. over radio station KNOE. Sunday School at 9:30 a.m. Sunday service at 11:00 a.m. Wednesday service at 8:00 p.m. Reading room at 135 North Second street open daily from 10:00 to 5:00 except Sundays and national holidays. Open Tuesday and Thursday nights from 7:00 to 9:00.

CHURCH OF GOD
Corner Cypress & Drage Sts.
West Monroe, La.

J. C. Grubbs, pastor.
Radio broadcast, 8:00 a.m.
Sunday school, 9:45 a.m.
Preaching services, 10:45 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Youth Fellowship, 6:45 p.m.
Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.
A warm welcome to all.

LATTER DAY SAINTS

THE CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER-DAY SAINTS
2300 Lee Avenue
Monroe

Travis T. Tynes, branch president.
Sunday school, 10:00 a.m.
Relief Society meeting, 6:15 p.m.
Priesthood meeting, 6:15 p.m.
Sacrament service, 7:30 p.m.
Thought for the day:
The gift unto all nations,
The gift of God's own Son.
Makes each returning Christmas
A glorious, precious one.
We welcome you to meet and worship with us.

JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES
Kingdom Hall
4501 Jackson Street

Congregation servant: H. C. Trull.
Assistant congregation servant: Don E. Hendricks.
Sunday: 9:30 a.m., General Assembly, text discussion, field instructions, and then into service.
5:00 p.m., Bible study class, subject, "The Christian Warrior," Part II, as taken from "The Watchtower."
Wednesday: 7:30 p.m. Bible study class, subject, "Foundation For the New World Laid," Part II.
Friday: 7:30 p.m., service meeting, discussion of "The Informant."
8:30 p.m. Theocratic ministry school.
We invite everyone to come and study God's Word with us.



DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENTS and Bishop Martin shown in picture. (Left to right) A. W. Townsend, Jr., B. C. Taylor, George Pomeroy (giving station wagon keys to bishop), Bishop Martin, R. R. Branton, Virgil Morris, Edward W. Harris, James T. Harris. The Rev. Karl Tooke, Lake Charles district superintendent, is not shown in the picture.

New Station Wagons To Help Mission Workers

Four new station wagons purchased by the Methodists of the Arkansas-Louisiana area to be used in missionary work will be shipped to Argentina from New Orleans, Jan. 3, on the Argentine flag vessel, the S. S. Tucuman, according to the Methodist Bishop Paul E. Martin.

Churches in the Monroe district that contributed toward the purchase of the station wagon include the First Methodist and St. Paul's Methodist in Monroe, and the Methodist Churches in Bastrop, Rayville, and Tallulah.

One of the vehicles, a 1954 Ford, was given by the people of the Louisiana conference of the church. The other three, which include two Fords and a Chevrolet, are being sent by the Little Rock conference, the First Methodist Church of Arkadelphia, Ark., and the Forrest City and Jonesboro districts of the north Arkansas conference.

The station wagons, which will be sent to Buenos Aires, will be distributed under the direction of Bishop Sante Uberto Barbieri, Methodist bishop of Argentina, Uruguay, and Bolivia.

Bishop Barbieri, upon receiving news of the gift, wrote to Bishop Martin that he and his people were very grateful for the cars. He added, "May God bless abundantly all concerned with this magnificent token of brotherhood and manifestation of Christian concern for the salvation of the world in Christ."

Bishop Martin said as far as he knew, no one shipment of as many as four cars for church use had been made to South America in the past ten years. He also said, when he announced the shipment date of the vehicles, "It is thrilling even to attempt to imagine the ministry which will be rendered through the four station wagons . . . Remote places will hear the Gospel, and men and women who long for the warm evangelical message will be brought to Christ as the ministers are transported across that great nation (Argentina) in these vehicles. These cars will be chariots of the Lord."

The superintendents of the districts which make up the Louisiana conference, and who headed the campaign for the purchase of the station wagons include the following: The Rev. A. W. Townsend, Jr., Alexandria; Dr. B. C. Taylor, Shreveport; the Rev. George W. Pomeroy, Ruston; the Rev. R. R. Branton, Lafayette; Dr. Virgil D. Morris, New Orleans; the Rev. Edward W. Harris, Baton Rouge; the Rev. James T. Harris, Monroe; and the Rev. Karl Tooke, Lake Charles.

Christmas In So. Side Church Giving Program

Southside Methodists will have a special Christmas program for Sunday night, Mrs. C. L. Harris will officiate at the organ and there will be special choral numbers.

The three choirs are led by Walter Weber, C. R. Clay and R. L. Jones.

The program called, "Christmas in Song," will be initiated with the processional, followed by invocation and solo "O Holy Night" by Mrs. James Hall.

The choir's next selection will be "Sing Ye Noel." After a reading by the minister, there will be a solo by Mrs. James Hall, "The Holy City."

Other musical selections will be: "No Candle, No Fire" (quartet), Mrs. Ray Perkins, Mrs. C. E. Vaughan, Lloyd Barnett, and M.R. Johnston; solo, "No Room in the Inn," by Charles B. Elliott.

"Children Away in A Manger," which will be rendered by children from the primary, kindergarten and junior departments with the concluding solo, "Sweet Little Jesus Boy" by Walter Weber.

Chain Of Prayer Links Over 1,000 Churches Together

NASHVILLE, Tenn. — A year-long "chain of prayer," linking more than 1,000 churches every minute of every day in 1955, will start January 1, sponsored by the Methodist Board of Evangelism here.

World peace will be the chief petition as entire congregations, prayer teams and lonely shut-ins of every state join in the 365-day vigil.

As church bells toll the New Year, the chain's first links will be hammered out in the prayers of Methodists in seven cities and towns — New York, Chicago, Washington, San Antonio, Memphis, Ashland, Ky., and Minter City, Miss.

There will be succeeded January 2 by around-the-clock worshippers in DeQuincy, La., and Jackson, Tenn.

Day and night, around the calendar, clergymen, laymen, women and children will take turns at the altars of city and country churches.

Every day of the year is scheduled for two or more churches.

Yule Mail Records Set At Ferriday

FERRIDAY, Dec. 25 (Special) Mrs. A. B. Browne, postmaster, states that the local mail distributing station had a very busy Christmas season and broke all previous records at the office during the holidays. She has been keeping the parcel post window open on Saturdays during the past two-weeks to take care of the Christmas package mailing. The city and rural carriers all reported a heavy volume of incoming and outgoing mail.

We Celebrate One Outstanding Birth

The Birthday we are celebrating.

This article, which was published in one of the farm papers is a fine description of the Christ whose birthday we celebrate.

"Here is a young man, born in an obscure village, the child of a peasant woman. He grew up in another village. He worked in a carpenter shop until He was 30, and then for three years He was an itinerant preacher. He never wrote a book. He never held an office. He never owned a home. He never had a family. He never went to college. He never put His foot inside a big city. He never traveled 200 miles from the place where He was born. He never did one of the things that usually accompany greatness. He had no credentials but himself.

"While he was still a young man, the tide of public opinion turned against Him. His friends ran away. He was turned over to His enimies. He went through the mockery of a trial. He was nailed to a cross between two thieves. While He was dying, His executioners gambled for the only piece of property He had on earth, and that was His coat. When He was dead, He was laid in a borrowed grave through the pity of a friend.

"Nineteen wide centuries have come and gone, and today He is the central figure of the human race and the leader of the column of progress.

"I am far within the mark when I say that all the armies that ever marched, and all the navies that were ever built, and all the parliaments that ever sat, and all the kings that ever reigned, put together, have not affected the life of man upon this earth as has this One Solitary Life."

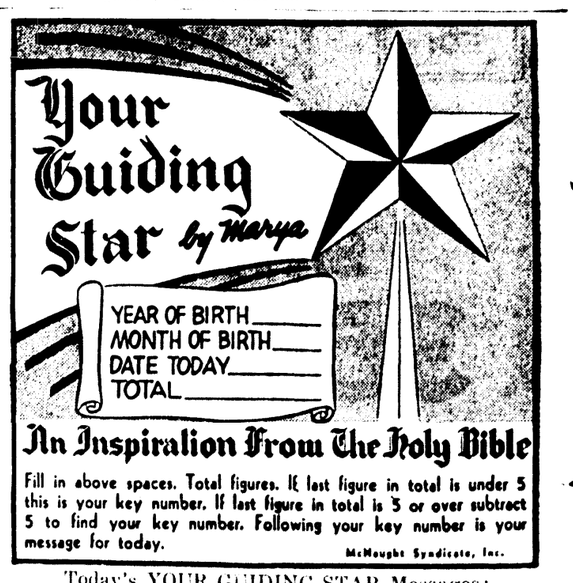
Better Gardens, Better Nutrition

More and better home gardens is the theme for 1955. Farm families and other with space should make this an objective for better nutrition, health and economy. A good garden will supply foods that might not otherwise be provided. Fresh vegetables are superior in quality than those generally sold on the market. Vegetables will readily be available when wanted for use. Here are recommendations given for making this better garden.

1. Soil should be prepared deep and thoroughly.
2. Incorporate large amounts of organic matter and green manure crops to provide a spongy, loose-textured medium for easy water penetration and retention.
3. Plow under one-half of the commercial fertilizer to encourage deep root development.
4. Use surface mulches of various kinds to aid absorption and to reduce evaporation during the summer and fall.
5. Control weeds to avoid competition for water.
6. Soil fumigation, a new but timely gardening practice, can also be mentioned. It kills nematodes, soil-inhabiting insects, and some parasitic fungi which cripples root systems. It also kills many of the weed and grass seed.
7. Home gardeners will profit by learning to recognize the specific insects and diseases affecting their crops and then applying the chemical sprays or dusts that work best on particular pests they have to fight. A few safe and effective chemicals recommended are: Methoxychlor, Malathion, Rotenone, Zineb or Ziram.
8. Buy only good seeds from a reliable dealer. Discard all old seeds.

Landscape Design:

Landscape design is an art to make the space or surroundings of the home more functional. In landscape design we may use any materials that will give family pleasure or fit family needs and will stand outdoor conditions. The first five steps in landscaping your surroundings are: List family needs; study your site; make a diagram; select and shape your spaces for various family activities, and select your materials, plants, structures, etc. If you need help call 3-2251 for our new bulletin.



Today's YOUR GUIDING STAR Messages:

0. Acts 20:35. It is more blessed to give than to receive.
1. Gal. 6:10. As we have opportunity, let us do good to all men.
2. I Pet. 4:10. As each has received a gift, employ it for one another.
3. Prov. 11:25. A liberal man will be enriched.
4. Luke 6:38. Give, and it will be given to you; good measure, running over.

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Cor. Arkansas Road and N. 12th, West Monroe
Rev. I. A. Love, Pastor

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White's Ferry Road
C. C. Martin, Pastor

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Lincoln and McGuire
West Monroe
Rev. Kenneth Chapman, Minister

MEMORIAL PARK BAPTIST CHURCH
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ASSEMBLY OF GOD
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Rev. J. E. Downs, Pastor

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD
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812 Mississippi Street
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Rev. T. Earl Ogg

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TEMPLE BAPTIST CHURCH
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Arthur Betz, Pastor

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F. L. Hearne, Pastor

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401 Sherrouse Avenue
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L. L. Yeager, Pastor

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Rev. R. A. McCormick, Pastor

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Rev. W. H. McFadden, Minister

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Rev. T. F. Tenney

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Rev. J. B. Ryles, Pastor

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Congregation Servant, Henry C. Trull
Assistant Congregation Servant, Odis Sanderson

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Rev. Earl Monzingo, Pastor

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S. W. Tullos, Pastor

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H. M. Roach, Pastor

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Clifton Laird, Minister

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Student Day Will Be Held Here Sunday

Christmas Sunday coming the day after Christmas Day offers a unique opportunity of Christmas worship, and the First Methodist Church of Monroe has planned services for the day in keeping with the great festive occasion.

"The Success of Christmas" will be the theme of the minister's morning sermon at 10:50 a.m. "My Conclusions About Jesus Christ" will be the theme at the early Communion service at 8:25 a.m.

As a part of the observance of "student recognition day," Rev. Oscar Cloyd, ministerial student from First Methodist Church now attending Centenary College, will preach at the evening service at 7:30 p.m. on the subject, "The Abundant Life."

This young man has already made a place for himself in the ministry, as he serves the Little Creek and Boeuf Prairie churches in addition to his work in Centenary College. He is a past president of the O. P. H. S. Senior class, and an outstanding Centenary student.

Student Night Is Set In Parkview Baptist Church

The Parkview Baptist Church will turn the Sunday night services over to the youth of the church on December 26, at 7:30. The college students, as well as the young people of the church, will serve in many places in the church during the evening.

The order of services:

Hymn: Congregation, "Joy to the World!"

Prayer: Miss Jane New, Louisiana College.

Training Union Report: Skippy Portman, Louisiana Tech.

Hymn: Congregation: "Living For Jesus."

Hymn: Congregation: "Give of Your Best to the Master."

Announcements and introduction of college students, Rev. H. L. Sampson, pastor.

Hymn: "He Lives On High."

Offertory: Betty Scott, pianist; Patricia Hudson, Organist.

Offertory prayer: Jimmy Hudson, Northeast College.

Scripture: Psalms 24:, Jimmy Lewis, Louisiana State University.

Choir special: College students and young people of Parkview, "Wherever He Leads I'll Go."

Sermon: Perry Lassiter, Baylor University. Hymn: Congregation, "Softly and Tenderly." Prayer: Skippy Portman. Choral response: "God Be With You." Choir director: Don Sampson, Louisiana College.

College Students: Jimmy Hudson Northeast College; Fred Allen, Louisiana State University; Robert Barnes, Marion Military Academy; Hershel Gentry, Northeast College; Jimmy Lewis, Louisiana State University; Skippy Portman, Louisiana Tech; Walter Sims, Louisiana Tech; Charles Coe, Louisiana Tech; Jay Adams, Louisiana Tech; Miss Barbara Stoler, Northeast College; Miss Billie Marie Fincher, Northwestern College; Miss Pat Ruple, Louisiana Tech; Miss Jane New, Louisiana College; Don Sampson, Louisiana College; Perry Lassiter, Baylor University.

The Young People and Intermediate Departments of the Training Union will assist the college students in the evening service. The public is cordially invited to worship at the Parkview Baptist Church with the members.

Christmas Is Being Shared With Others

Christmas for most Americans is a happy time, spent with families at home, with friends in church. It is also a time for remembering those less fortunate. Through agencies, such as the National Council of Churches and local councils of churches and church women, Americans in sharing with others make Christmas more real for thousands at home and overseas.

In fourteen countries of Europe and Latin America, people who are hungry and in need get a special Christmas gift from the churches of America — more than 600,000 fourteen-pound packages of government surplus foods. Through "Operation Pointsettia" the Christian Rural Overseas Program (CROP) will send abroad the first government food shipped abroad, other than dairy and cottonseed products. Each package will contain flour from surplus wheat, rice, dry beans, beef and gravy, dried milk, butter, cheese, cottonseed oil and shortening.

ANNOUNCE BIRTH

DODSON, Dec. 25 (Special)—Mr and Mrs. Richard McCartny of Shreveport have announced the arrival of a son, weighing seven pounds, ten ounces, in the Martin Hospital in Winnfield. He has been given the name of Robert Wayne. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. I. J. McCartney, Olla; and maternal Mr. and Mrs. Joe W. Hughen, Dodson.

Come To Church Today

BAPTIST

FAIR PARK BAPTIST CHURCH
White's Ferry Road
West Monroe, Louisiana

Rev. C. C. Martin, pastor.
Mr. Elza Smith, choir director.
Miss Eva Smith, pianist.
Sunday school 10:00, Mr. Allen Brooks, supt.
Morning worship, 11:00.
Training Union, 6:30, Mr. G. A. Alexander, director.
Evening worship, 7:30.
Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:00 to be followed by all organizations meeting at 7:45. Choir practice at 8:30. Visitors always welcome.

EDGEWOOD BAPTIST CHURCH
501 Travis, West Monroe

O. P. Bazer, pastor.
9:45 a. m. Sunday school D. E. Walker, superintendent.
10:50 morning worship, pastor's sermon: 'Job Takes Inventory" Job 1:20-22.
6:30 p. m. Training Union R. D. Baker, director.
7:30 p. m. evening service. Emphasizing "Student Night" in which we honor all students home for the holidays. Rev. Max Gray will be the featured speaker and others will have part on program.
Opportunities for next week:
Wednesday: 7:00 p. m. Teachers' and Officers' meeting. 7:30 p. m prayer meeting. 8:15 p. m. choir practice.
Thursday: 7:00 p. m. R. A.s meet.
Be sure to attend the church of your choice on this the last Lord's Day of the old year. Make a New Year resolution to attend church and actively support it every week next year! Happy New Year!

HIGHLAND PARK BAPTIST CHURCH
Roberts Ave.

C. B. Thompson, pastor.
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship, 11:00 a. m. Sermon: 'Jesus Christ and the New Year."
Training Union, 6:30 p. m.
Evening worship, 7:30 p. m. Sermon: "The Significance of the Name Jesus."
Wednesday:
6:45 p. m., teachers and officers' meeting.
7:30 p. m. prayer and Bible study.
"A friendly church where friendly worshing people meet to worship." Highland Park Baptist Church is located seven blocks off the Loop Road on Roberts Ave.

TEMPLE BAPTIST CHURCH
601 Plum St.

W. Leon Ivey, pastor.
A cordial welcome awaits you at the Temple Baptist Church this Lord's Day. Be sure and attend worship services somewhere this Lord's Day. If you have not been in services this year, today is your last opportunity.
The pastor will speak at both services Sunday. At the morning hour his subject will be "The Blessings of the Gospel" and at the evening worship hour there will be an evangelistic hour.
Mr. and Mrs. John Mitchell, former members of Temple who are home for the holidays, will sing at the morning service. The evening music program will feature the young people of the church.
Sunday school, 9:45.
Morning Worship, 11:00.
Training Union, 6:30.
Evening Worship, 7:30.
GA and RA and Sunbeams Friday, 7:30.
Teacher's Meeting Friday, 7:30.
Watch night service Friday.
The church will observe a watch night service Friday evening. The regular mid-week services will be put off until Friday evening and share with the Boy Scouts the program of that evening. The church will remain in session until the old year is gone and the New Year has arrived.
A covered dish supper will be served Friday at 6:45 p.m. All members are urged to come and bring a covered dish and have the evening meal together. A program will follow until the New Year has arrived.
The nursery is open for all services.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
North Second at Park Avenue
West Monroe

Calendar of Events for the Week of December 26th:
Sunday, Dec. 26th: 6:00 p.m., Junior Fellowship; 6:30 p.m., Fellowship for the Primaries, Intermediates, Young People and Adults.
Tuesday, Dec. 28th: Circles of W. S. C. S. meet in homes, as follows: No. 1, Meeting cancelled; No. 2, Mrs. Chas. Chisholm, 2602 North 11th, 2:00 p.m.; No. 3, Meeting cancelled; No. 4, Mrs. A. C. Lamb, 312 North 3rd, 2:30 p.m.; No. 5, Mrs. Frank Watts, 108 South 2nd, 9:30 a.m.; No. 6, Mrs. A. W. Ash, 111 Drago St., 9:00 a.m.
Wednesday, Dec. 29th: 7:30 p.m., Prayer Meeting; 8:15 p.m., Choir Practice.
Friday, Dec. 31st: 8:45 a.m., Bdcst from the church over KLIC, with Rev. Milton and Mrs. Jack Willis.

METHODIST

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Jackson and Wood Streets
Monroe, Louisiana

Rev. H. L. Johns, D. D., minister.
Rev. E. K. Means, D. D., emeritus.
"The best part of Christmas is the religious part," said a Monroe lady last week. We invite you to "Keep Christ in Christmas" by attending services this Sunday as follows:
8:45 a. m. early communion, theme, "My Conclusions About Jesus Christ."
10:50 a. m. morning worship, sermon, "The Success of Christmas."
9:30 a. m. church school, G. E. Boggs, general superintendent.
5:30 p. m. intermediate M. Y. F.
6:00 p. m. senior M. Y. F.
7:30 p. m. evening worship, sermon, by Rev. Oscar Cloyd, "The Abundant Life."
Today is "student recognition day" and all students are especially invited.
Nurseries for the convenience of families with little ones are maintained under competent management in the educational building.
Dr. John M. Norris of Buenos Aires, Argentina, will be guest speaker at First Methodist Church on Jan. 2-3-4, 1955, in the annual school of missions.
All are cordially invited and welcome.

SOUTHSIDE METHODIST CHURCH
South Fourth at Temple Drive
Monroe

Lea Joyner, minister.
The services of the Southside Methodist Church are as follows:
9:45 a.m. Church school for all ages.
11:00 a.m. Morning worship.
5:30 p.m. Youth choir.
6:30 p.m. Men's choir.
7:30 p.m. Evening worship.
Monday: 7:00 p.m. Boy Scout meeting.
Tuesday: 7:30 p.m. Chancel choir rehearsal.
Wednesday: 7:15 prayer meeting.
At the morning service the minister will bring the message: "The Might" Lord."
At the evening service Ben Clay will bring the message.
A nursery is maintained at both services.

ST. PAUL'S METHODIST CHURCH
Lexington Avenue and Orell

Benjamin Ray Oliphint, Ph. D. minister.
Church school: 9:30 a. m.
Worship service: 10:50 a. m.
Vesper service: 6:00 p. m.
Youth group 6:30 p. m.
A nursery under competent supervision is available for pre-school children during church school and church services. We sincerely belies that you will find in St. Paul's a worshipful atmosphere, a friendly people, and religion so interpreted as to make it a vital force in daily living. We invite you and your family to worship with us today!

STONE AVENUE METHODIST CHURCH

L. L. Yeager, Pastor.
M. B. Hearne, Sunday School Supt.
Mrs. M. B. Hearne, Organist.
"The Season's Greetings to All!"
The worship services of the day begin with Sunday School at 9:45 a.m.
Morning worship hour, 10:50 to 11:50. Sermon subject, "All Rivers Run Into the Sea." — Ecl. 1:7.
Youth meetings at 6:30 p.m.
Evangelistic service at 7:30 p.m. This service is designed to help both Christian and un-Christian.
The Woman's Society of Christian Service to meet Tuesday morning at 9:30.
Prayer service, Wednesday evening at 7:30.
The choir rehearses immediately after prayer service.
We invite the public to worship with us. "We are Wesleyan in belief and in teaching."

MEMORIAL METHODIST CHURCH
401 Sherrouse Ave.

Rev. Ralph Cain, pastor.
Edwin C. Rowan, chairman, official board.
J. Herbert Walker, church school supt.
C. B. Storms, assistant supt.
Mrs. Irene Nelson, organist, Miss Libby McCoy, pianist.
Mrs. Estelle Sanders, adult choir director.
Mrs. K. M. Willis, junior choir director.
Miss Louise Nelson, youth choir director.
Student recognition Sunday.
9:45 o'clock, church school, classes for all ages. Nursery for children beginning at one year.
11:00 o'clock, morning worship: Anthem: adult choir, "Fight the Good Fight." Monsell, directed by Mrs. Estelle Sanders. Sermon: Rev. Vernon Sanders, Duke University Medical School. Communions (first Sundays.)
6:00 o'clock, junior fellowship and choir.
6:00 o'clock, Methodist youth fellowship.
7:30 o'clock, evening worship service. Prayer period at the altar. Congregational hymn singing. Special music. Sermon: by the pastor. After-church fellowship.
Memorial Methodist Church serves the Methodist students at Northeast Louisiana State College through the program of the Wesley Foundation, 1085 College Avenue. Rev. Ralph Cain is the director; Mrs. H. E. Pfost, the house mother.
Students are invited to use the building for study, recreation, and worship. Noon day luncheons are held on Thursdays at 11:40 a. m.
Guest speaker for today is The Rev. Vernon Sanders, student in the medical school at Duke University.
Guest organist is Alfred Barlow, Beaumont, Texas.

PRESBYTERIAN

THE FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Grammont & Catalpa

W. H. McFadden, minister.
The services of the First Presbyterian Church will be held as follows:
9:45 a.m. Church school.
11:00 a.m. Morning Worship.
6:00 p.m. Snack supper for Young People.
6:30 p.m. Young People's program.
7:30 p.m. Christian Student night program.
9:00 a.m. Morning worship, Idlewild.
The topic for the morning worship service will be "Forward With Christ."
At the evening worship service a special program on student work will be given by the college students of our church.
The nursery facilities through church school and morning worship service consist of a room for babies in arms only, another department for two and three-year - old children and a kindergarten for four and five - year - old children. A nursery is also provided in the education-services.
Parking facilities are available for those attending Sunday services at the First Presbyterian Church at the Sinclair Service Station, corner Harrison and Catalpa streets.

MEMORIAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
N. 4th at Mill Street
West Monroe, La.

Hugh E. Bradshaw, Pastor.
9:30 a.m., Sunday school at Highland Chapel. Breard Frantom, Superintendent.
9:45 a.m., Sunday school at Memorial. Harry Liner, superintendent.
11:00 a.m., Morning Worship. Sermon: "The Abiding Glory of Christmas."
6:30 p.m., Story hour at Memorial and Highland Chapel.
7:30 p.m., Evening Worship. This is a Student Night program with our youth considering the subject: "Christian Life on Our Campuses."
A cordial welcome awaits all our friends and visitors at each of our services.

COVENANT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Orell Place at Milton Street

Rev. Wayne W. Gray, minister.
Sunday school, 9:30. Frank V. Spivey, superintendent.
Morning worship, 11:00. Sermon: "The Marks of True Greatness."
There is a greatness that is temporary and then there is a greatness that is eternal. There is a greatness in the eyes of men and a greatness in the eyes of God. Men do not always properly appraise the acts of men but God does. We are speaking today of the things that make for true greatness.
The Pioneers, Seniors, and all prep school and college students at home for the holidays are to meet at the church at 6:00 for supper and a period of fellowship.

FIRST CHRISTIAN

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
(Disciples of Christ)
St. John and Oak Sts.

R. T. Watson, minister.
Mrs. F. O. Seymour, choir director.
Mrs. R. Y. Wroten, organist.
Church school at 9:45 a.m.
Worship at 10:50 a.m. The college students, home for the holidays, will be given special recognition in this service. The sermon theme is "The Most Important Person in the World."
Chi Rho and Christian Youth Fellowships at 5:30 p.m.
Worship at 7:30 p.m. William Funderburk, a ministerial student at T. C. U., will bring the message. There will be a solo and an informal song service of your favorite hymns.
Nurseries for pre - school age children are maintained during the church school and morning periods of worship.
You are most cordially invited to all our services.

TRINITY LUTHERAN

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH
300 D'Arbonne Ave.

Arthur Betz, pastor
9:30 a.m., The church school. Lesson subject for the children's classes: "Doing The Will of the Lord." Wm. Hochstetler will be in charge of the devotion.
10:45 a.m., The worship-service. The sermon subject: 'God's Gracious Revelation to Man Centers in Christ." Officers chosen for the new year will be installed at this service. Organist, Mrs. Eloy Fominaya.
The following men will be inducted into office: Elmer Stock, recording secretary; Arthur Johnson, Jr., treasurer; Carl Johnson, financial secretary; Gustave Miller, Edward C. Reinhardt, Wm. Hochstetler, deacons.
12:30 p.m., The Lutheran Hour over KLIC.
3:30 p.m., Holy Communion worship-service will be conducted at Delhi, La.
Tuesday, 7:30 p.m., The church school staff will meet for study.
Friday, 7:30 p.m., The New Years Eve Holy Communion worship-service will be conducted. The sermon subject, "A Pilgrim." Organist, Mrs. Eloy Fominaya.
Friday, 7 to 7:30 p.m., Holy Communion registrations will be received at the parish house.
We invite you to worship with us and derive the comfort of the message presented.

GRACE EPISCOPAL

GRACE EPISCOPAL CHURCH
No. Fourth and Glenmar Streets
Monroe, Louisiana

The Rev. John M. Allin, rector.
The Rev. Edward F. Hayward, rector emeritus.
First Sunday after Christmas — St. Stephen.
Holy Eucharist, 7:30 a. m.
Koffee klatch, 8:15 a. m.
Morning prayer, 9:00 a. m.
Holy Eucharist and sermon, 9:45 a. m.
Nursery, parish house, 9:45 a. m.
Kindergarten, parish house, 9:45 a. m.
Fellowship recess, parish house, 11:00 a. m.
Classes, 11:15 a. m.
Evening prayer, 5:30 p. m.
Monday, December 27th.
Morning prayer and Holy Eucharist, 7:00 a. m.
Holy Eucharist, 9:00 a. m.
Tuesday, December 28th.
Morning prayer and Holy Eucharist, 7:00 a. m.
Holy Eucharist, 9:00 a. m.
Wednesday, December 29th.
Holy Eucharist, 9:00 a. m.
Inquirer's class, par sihhouse, 7:30 p. m.
Friday, December 31st.
Morning prayer and Holy Eucharist, 7:00 a. m.
Midnight watch — New Year's Eve, 11:45 p. m.
Saturday, January 1st.
Morning prayer and ante communion, 7:00 a. m.
Holy Eucharist, 9:00 a. m.
Daily: evening prayer 5:30 p. m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST
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"Christian Science" is the subject of the lesson - sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, Sunday, December 26, 1954.
The golden text is: "The prophecy came not in old time by the will of man: but holy men of God spake as they were moved by the Holy Ghost" (II Pet. 1:21).
Among the citations which comprise the lesson - sermon is the following from the Bible: "How beautiful upon the mountains are the feet of him that bringeth good tidings, that publisheth peace; that bringeth good tidings of good, that publisheth salvation; that saith unto Zion, Thy God reigneth!" (Isa. 52:7).
The lesson - sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy: "The impersonation of the spiritual idea had a brief history in the earthly life of our master; but "of his kingdom there shall be no end," for Christ, God's idea, will eventually rule all nations and peoples — imperatively, absolutely, finally—with divine science" (565.)
Listen to a 15 minute radio broadcast Sunday at 8:15 a. m. over radio station KNOE. Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Sunday service at 11:00 a. m. Wednesday service at 8:00 p. m. Reading room at 135 North Second street open daily from 10:00 to 5:00 except Sundays and national holidays. Open Tuesday and Thursday nights from 7:00 to 9:00.

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Sunday school, 9:45 a.m.
Preaching services, 10:45 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.
Youth Fellowship, 6:45 p.m.
Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7:30 p.m.
A warm welcome to all.

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Travis T. Tynes, branch president.
Sunday school, 10:00 a.m.
Relief Society meeting, 6:15 p.m.
Priesthood meeting, 6:15 p.m.
Sacrament service, 7:30 p.m.
Thought for the day:
The gift unto all nations,
The gift of God's own Son,
Makes each returning Christmas
A glorious, precious one.
We welcome you to meet and worship with us.

JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES
Kingdom Hall
4501 Jackson Street

Congregation servant: H. C. Trull.
Assistant congregation servant: Don E Hendricks.
Sunday: 9:30 a.m., General Assembly, text discussion, field instructions, and then into service.
5:00 p.m., Bible study class, subject, "The Christian Warrior," Part II, as taken from "The Watchtower."
Wednesday: 7:30 p.m. Bible study class, subject, "Foundation For the New World Laid." Part II.
Friday: 7:30 p.m., service meeting, discussion of "The Informant."
8:30 p.m. Theocratic ministry school.
We invite everyone to come and study God's Word with us.



DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENTS and Bishop Martin shown in picture. (Left to right) A. W. Townsend, Jr., B. C. Taylor, George Pomeroy (giving station wagon keys to bishop), Bishop Martin, R. R. Branton, Virgil Morris, Edward W. Harris, James T. Harris. The Rev. Karl Tooke, Lake Charles district superintendent, is not shown in the picture.

New Station Wagons To Help Mission Workers

Four new station wagons purchased by the Methodists of the Arkansas-Louisiana area to be used in missionary work will be shipped to Argentina from New Orleans, Jan. 3, on the Argentine flag vessel, the S. S. Tucuman, according to the Methodist Bishop Paul E. Martin.

Churches in the Monroe district that contributed toward the purchase of the station wagon include the First Methodist and St. Paul's Methodist in Monroe, and the Methodist Churches in Bastrop, Rayville, and Tallulah.

One of the vehicles, a 1954 Ford, was given by the people of the Louisiana conference of the church. The other three, which include two Fords and a Chevrolet, are being sent by the Little Rock conference, the First Methodist Church of Arkadelphia, Ark., and the Forrest City and Jonesboro districts of the north Arkansas conference.

The station wagons, which will be sent to Buenos Aires, will be distributed under the direction of Bishop Sante Uberto Barbieri, Methodist bishop of Argentina, Uruguay, and Bolivia.

Bishop Barbieri, upon receiving news of the gift, wrote to Bishop Martin that he and his people were very grateful for the cars. He added, "May God bless abundantly, all concerned with this magnificent token of bro'herhood and manifestation of Christian concern for the salvation of the world in Christ."

Bishop Martin said as far as he knew, no one shipment of as many as four cars for church use had been made to South America in the past ten years. He also said, when he announced the shipment date of the vehicles, "It is thrilling even to attempt to imagine the ministry which will be rendered through the four station wagons . . . Remote places will hear the Gospel, and men and women who long for the warm evangelical message will be brought to Christ as the ministers are transported across that great nation (Argentina) in these vehicles. These cars will be chariots of the Lord."

The superintendents of the districts which make up the Louisiana conference, and who headed the campaign for the purchase of the station wagons include the following: The Rev. A. W. Townsend, Jr., Alexandria; Dr. B. C. Taylor, Shreveport; the Rev. George W. Pomeroy, Ruston; the Rev. R. R. Branton, Lafayette; Dr. Virgil D. Morris, New Orleans; the Rev. Edward W. Harris, Baton Rouge; the Rev. James T. Harris, Monroe; and the Rev. Karl Tooke, Lake Charles.

Christmas In So. Side Church Giving Program

Southside Methodists will have a special Christmas program for Sunday night, Mrs. C. L. Harris will officiate at the organ and there will be special choral numbers.

The three choirs are led by Walter Weber, C. R. Clay and R. L. Jones.

The program called, "Christmas in Song," will be initiated with the processional, followed by invocation and solo "O Holy Night" by Mrs. James Hall.

The choir's next selection will be "Sing Ye Noel." After a reading by the minister, there will be a solo by Mrs. James Hall, "The Holy City."

Other musical selections will be: "No Candle, No Fire" (quartet), Mrs. Ray Perkins, Mrs. C. E. Vaughan, Lloyd Barnett, and M.R. Johnston; solo, "No Room in the Inn," by Charles B. Elliott.

"Children Away in A Manger," which will be rendered by children from the primary, kindergarten and junior departments with the concluding solo, "Sweet Little Jesus Boy" by Walter Weber.

Chain Of Prayer Links Over 1,000 Churches Together

NASHVILLE, Tenn. — A year-long "chain of prayer," linking more than 1,000 churches every minute of every day in 1955, will start January 1, sponsored by the Methodist Board of Evangelism here.

World peace will be the chief petition as entire congregations, prayer teams and lonely shut-ins of every state join in the 365-day vigil.

As church bells toll the New Year, the chain's first links will be hammered out in the prayers of Methodists in seven cities and towns — New York, Chicago, Washington, San Antonio, Memphis, Ashland, Ky., and Minter City, Miss.

There will be succeeded January 2 by around - the - clock worshippers in DeQuincy, La., and Jackson, Tenn.

Day and night, around the calendar, clergymen, laymen, women and children will take turns at the altars of city and country churches.

Every day of the year is scheduled for two or more churches.

Yule Mail Records Set At Ferriday

FERRIDAY, Dec. 25 (Special) Mrs. A. B. Browne, postmaster, states that the local mail distributing station had a very busy Christmas season and broke all previous records at the office during the holidays. She has been keeping the parcel post window open on Saturdays during the past two-weeks to take care of the Christmas package mailing. The city and rural carriers all reported a heavy volume of incoming and outgoing mail.

We Celebrate One Outstanding Birth

The Birthday we are celebrating.

This article, which was published in one of the farm papers is a fine description of the Christ whose birthday we celebrate.

"Here is a young man, born in an obscure village, the child of a peasant woman. He grew up in another village. He worked in a carpenter shop until He was 30, and then for three years He was an intinerant preacher. He never wrote a book. He never held an office. He never owned a home. He never had a family. He never went to college. He never put His foot inside a big city. He never traveled 200 miles from the place where He was born. He never did one of the things that usually accompany greatness. He had no credentials but himself.

"While he was still a young man, the tide of public opinion turned against Him. His friends ran away. He was turned over to His enimies. He went through the mockery of a trial. He was nailed to a cross between two thieves. While He was dying, His executioners gambled for the only piece of property He had on earth, and that was His coat. When He was dead, He was laid in a borrowed grave through the pity of a friend.

"Nineteen wide centuries have come and gone, and today He is the central figure of the human race and the leader of the column of progress.

"I am far within the mark when I say that all the armies that ever marched, and all the navies that were ever built, and all the parliaments that ever sat, and all the kings that ever reigned, put together, have not affected the life of man upon this earth as has this One Solitary Life."

Better Gardens, Better Nutrition

More and better home gardens is the theme for 1955. Farm families and other with space should make this an objective for better nutrition, health and economy. A good garden will supply foods that might not otherwise be provided. Fresh vegetables are superior in quality than those generally sold on the market. Vegetables will readily be available when wanted for use. Here are recommendations given for making this better garden.

1. Soil should be prepared deep and thoroughly.
2. Incorporate large amounts of organic matter and green manure crops to provide a spongy, loose-textured medium for easy water penetration and retention.
3. Plow under one - half of the commercial fertilizer to encourage deep root development.
4. Use surface mulches of various kinds to aid absorption and to reduce evaporation during the summer and fall.
5. Control weeds to avoid competition for water.
6. Soil fumigation, a new but coming practice, can also be mentioned. It kills nematodes, soil-inhabiting insects, and some parasitic fungi which cripples root systems. It also kills many of the weed and grass seed.
7. Home gardeners will profit by learning to recognize the specific insects and diseases affecting their crops and then applying the chemical sprays or dusts that work best on particular pests they have to fight. A few safe and effective chemicals recommended are: Methoxychlor, Malathion, Rotenone, Zineb or Ziram.
8. Buy only good seeds from a reliable dealer. Discard all old seeds.

Landscape Design:

Landscape design is an art to make the space or surroundings of the home more functional. In landscape design we may use any materials that will give family pleasure or fit family needs and will stand outdoor conditions. The first five steps in landscaping your surroundings are: List family needs; study your site; make a diagram; select and shape your spaces for various family activities, and select your materials, plants, structures, etc. If you need help call 3-2251 for our new bulletin.



Today's YOUR GUIDING STAR Messages:

0. Acts 20:35. It is more blessed to give than to receive.
1. Gal. 6:10. As we have opportunity, let us do good to all men.
2. I Pet. 4:10. As each has received a gift, employ it for one another.
3. Prov. 11:25. A liberal man will be enriched.
4. Luke 6:38. Give, and it will be given to you; good measure, running over.

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Europe Celebrates Best Christmas Since End Of War; Spirits Soar High

LONDON, Dec. 25 —UP—European celebrated its biggest and gayest Christmas since the war Saturday.

Santa Clauses were everywhere. Mountains of turkey were washed down with millions of bottles of wine and champagne. In England a group of American airmen decorated a jeep like a sleigh and scattered gifts.

The festive spirit ran so high that even Moscow took note.

"Before I start," said a Moscow radio commentator, "I just want to wish a Merry Christmas to all who are celebrating the day, and to repeat that Christmas wish, which is surely the wish of us all, peace on earth and good will toward men."

American service men in Europe celebrated in a manner as close as possible to the home traditions. On the muddy north German lowlands, in the snowy Alps, in Turkey and under the northern lights in Norway, the GI's gorged themselves on turkey.

The menu included more than a pound of turkey per man, plus everything from shrimp cocktail to mincemeat pie a la mode. For this one day, soldiers and airmen recently told to cut down their weight were permitted to eat to their heart's content.

More than 40,000 service men spent Christmas holidays with German families. Some 50,000 German orphans, aged and needy children were guests of the U.S. occupation forces.

Germans celebrated their best post-war Christmas by ignoring inter-zonal borders and flocking East and West for family reunions. Officials estimated more than 100,000 crossed the Iron Curtain in both directions.

Frenchmen and Belgians reveled until dawn in glittering night clubs of Paris and Brussels, and in public houses of little country hamlets.

French shops were better supplied and French tablets were more heavily loaded than since World War II.

Dodson Residents To Vote On Stock Law

DODSON, Dec. 25 (Special)—On January 18, Dodson residents will go to the polls to vote on a stock law, an ordinance passed by the town council. Polls will be open between the hours of 6 a.m. and 7 p.m.

The ordinance provides that it shall be illegal for livestock to roam streets, roads, alleys and vacant lots within the town limits. Also provided in the law is that any found shall be impounded and the owner must pay a one-dollar fee and expense of care and advertising within a certain limit or the stock will be sold at public auction.

Meadowlarks, formerly hunted as game birds, are not larks at all. They actually belong to the blackbird family.

OUR STATE



SUGAR BOWL

The Sugar Bowl, shown above, is located on Tulane's campus in New Orleans. Each New Year's Day, it is the scene of one of the nation's top football classics, generally featuring a leading team of the South and a top team from another section of the country. Next Saturday, the Navy Middies, who this year broke a no-Bowl position that has governed the service academies for 30 years, will play Mississippi. It is expected that a capacity crowd of 85,000 people from all over the nation will visit our state to view this important contest.

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Pope Appears At Window, Offering His Benediction

VATICAN CITY, Dec. 25 —UP—Pope Pius imparted his apostolic benediction in 16 Latin words to a cheering throng below his sick-room window Saturday in a brief personal appearance that was his Christmas wish.

The pale, frail pontiff, supported by doctors and a papal chamberlain, stood for two minutes and 20 seconds at the second window from the right on the fourth floor of the Apostolic Palace of the Vatican.

In St. Peter's Square 168 feet below, some 60,000 persons chanted "Viva il Papa" and waved handkerchiefs and balloons in a mixed expression of Christmas joy and gratitude for the recovery of the pope from a near-fatal collapse 23 days ago.

A smile on his drawn features, the Pope flung his arms toward Heaven as he pronounced the benediction, "Benedictio dei omnipotentis Patris et filii et Spiritus Sancti descendant super vos et maneat semper. Amen."

("May the blessing of the almighty Father, of the son and of the Holy Ghost descend on you and remain with you always.")

He spoke slowly but distinctly into a microphone which boomed his words through the square where, hearing the last of them, the crowd knelt on the cobblestones.

As he was helped to descend from the platform at the window, the throng rose and cheered him again.

At the window the chamberlain supported the Pope's right arm as he mounted the platform, then placed a hand gently on the Pope's right side. To the left stood Niehans and behind was Galeazzi - Lisi. Niehans held the microphones for the Pope, using his other arm to support the pontiff's back.

The Vatican said the Pope had a comfortable night, free of the hiccups which plague him periodically.

He had to postpone his traditional Christmas message which he customarily delivers in person on Christmas Eve. Because of his illness it was not finished this year, and will be published by the Vatican newspaper Osservatore Romano next week. He hoped to be able to broadcast part of it.

The pontiff was unable to say the traditional midnight mass on Christmas Eve, or to recieve the Vatican diplomatic corps and the cardinals in Rome.

Annual Ferriday Lighting Contest Winners Named

FERRIDAY, Dec. 25 (Special) —Mrs. A. D. Strozier, of Lancaster Addition in Ferriday was the winner of first prize in the annual Christmas Lighting Contest, sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce along with the civic clubs and garden club of Ferriday. Mrs. Strozier used a "sheet of music" to cover her door which was decorated with the traditional greens of Christmas.

Mrs. John Fudikar placed second with her decorations of golden pine and vari-colored lights. Mrs. Van Melson won third prize with the novelty decorations of Santa Claus riding on a train filled with toys on the roof top, and Mr. and Mrs. Eugne Vogt, Sr., won fourth place with a doorway made into a fireplace and a beautifully lighted Christmas tree along side.

The Presbyterian church placed first with a beautiful Nativity scene, and the Sevier Memorial churches tied for second.

The majority of business houses had beautiful Christmas windows, however, the judges felt that Gancy Flower Shop was the outstanding one, and gave it first. R. E. A. was close second. Purvis Pontiac with a beautiful silver tree won third and the Ferriday Flower Shop was fourth. Honorable mention went to Pasternack's Claribel's Flower Shop, Louisiana Power and Light Company, Doris' Dress Shop and the Concordia Ice Company.



HEROIC MOTHER, SON, RESCUED AFTER ICY BATH—Her clothes dripping wet and wearing only a thin blouse in 16 degree weather, Mrs. Germaine Tardiff, 32, waits on a small island with her 5-year-old son, Wayne, after she rescued him from the Kennebec River at Waterville, Maine. The boat, approaching at left, was pushed over the thin ice to bring the pair to the mainland. Mrs. Tardiff, to avoid freezing after her plunge into the ice-crusted river, sat down and alternately rubbed her feet. Wayne was warmly clad but thoroughly wet. Mrs. Tardiff braved the river when he broke through the thin ice. Unable to make her way back to the mainland she managed to reach the island. This picture was made by Donald Sawyer of the Waterville Morning Sentinel who later had to be helped ashore when he too fell through the ice. (AP Wirephoto)

Queen Elizabeth Leads British In Church Worship

LONDON, Dec. 25 (AP)—Queen Elizabeth II led the British nation today in the religious observance of Christmas. Churches everywhere were crowded.

The Queen worshipped in one of the smallest of them, St. Mary Magdalene in the parish of Sandringham, seat of her country home.

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The festive spirit ran so high that even Moscow took note.

"Before I start," said a Moscow radio commentator, "I just want to wish a Merry Christmas to all who are celebrating the day, and to repeat that Christmas wish, which is surely the wish of us all, peace on earth and good will toward men."

American service men in Europe celebrated in a manner as close as possible to the home traditions. On the muddy north German lowlands, in the snowy Alps, in Turkey and under the northern lights in Norway, the GI's gorged themselves on turkey.

The menu included more than a pound of turkey per man, plus everything from shrimp cocktail to mincemeat pie a la mode. For this one day, soldiers and airmen recently told to cut down their weight were permitted to eat to their heart's content.

More than 40,000 service men spent Christmas holidays with German families. Some 50,000 German orphans, aged and needy children were guests of the U.S. occupation forces.

Germans celebrated their best post-war Christmas by ignoring inter-zonal borders and flocking East and West for family reunions. Officials estimated more than 100,000 crossed the Iron Curtain in both directions.

Frenchmen and Belgians reveled until dawn in glittering night clubs of Paris and Brussels, and in public houses of little country hamlets.

French shops were better supplied and French tablets were more heavily loaded than since World War II.

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A smile on his drawn features, the Pope flung his arms toward Heaven as he pronounced the benediction, "Benedictio dei omnipotentis Patris et filii et Spiritus Sancti descendant super vos et maneat semper. Amen."

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He spoke slowly but distinctly into a microphone which boomed his words through the square where, hearing the last of them, the crowd knelt on the cobblestones.

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At the window the chamberlain supported the Pope's right arm as he mounted the platform, then placed a hand gently on the Pope's right side. To the left stood Niehans and behind was Galeazzi - Lisi. Niehans held the microphones for the Pope, using his other arm to support the pontiff's back.

The Vatican said the Pope had a comfortable night, free of the hiccups which plague him periodically.

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HEROIC MOTHER, SON, RESCUED AFTER ICY BATH—Her clothes dripping wet and wearing only a thin blouse in 16 degree weather, Mrs. Germaine Tardiff, 32, waits on a small island with her 5-year-old son, Wayne, after she rescued him from the Kennebec River at Waterville, Maine. The boat, approaching at left, was pushed over the thin ice to bring the pair to the mainland. Mrs. Tardiff, to avoid freezing after her plunge into the ice-crusted river, sat down and alternately rubbed her feet. Wayne was warmly clad but thoroughly wet. Mrs. Tardiff braved the river when he broke through the thin ice. Unable to make her way back to the mainland she managed to reach the island. This picture was made by Donald Sawyer of the Waterville Morning Sentinel who later had to be helped ashore when he too fell through the ice. (AP Wirephoto)

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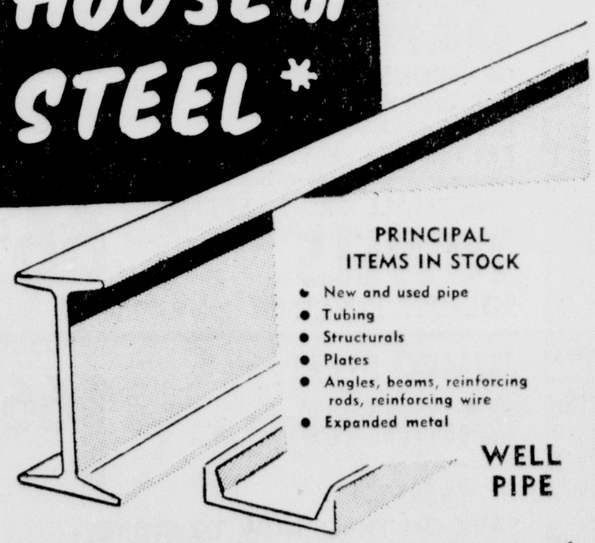
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Acadia — North Crowley, Humble Oil & Ref. Co. No. 13 P. J. Reiners, S15-8S-1E, 24 bbls. with ¼" choke.

Allen — Kinder Sun Oil Co. No. 2 Stout Kinder Canal Unit 1, S26-6S-5W, 1622 bbls. with 8-64" choke.

Cameron — Big Lake, Stanolind Oil & Gas Co. No. 1 LeBleu Sand Unit 18, S9-12S-9W, 135 bbls. with 10-64" choke;

Grant — Mill Creek, Clay Oil & Gas Corp. No. 1 Urania, S24-7N-1E, 31 bbls. pumping.

Iberia — Fausse Point, R. B. Prentice Drlg. Co. No. 2 J. D. Broussard et al, S26-11S-8E, 96 bbls. with 6-64" choke.

Jefferson — Grand Isle Blk. 18, Humble Oil & Ref. Co. No. D-3 St. Lse. 798, offshore, 195.31 bbls. with ¼" choke.

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Lafourche — Bully Camp, Gulf Ref. Co. No. 65 Delta Sec. Co. Inc., S36-18S-20E, 155 bbls. with 8-64" choke; Lake Long, Texas Gulf Prod. Co. No. 17 St. Lake Long, S77-17S-19E, 61 bbls. & 4,843 MCF gas with 18-64" choke.

Plaquemines — Dixon Bay, The California Co. No. 4 Geo. T. Armstrong 2 et al, S13-23S-31E, 219 bbls. with 8-64" choke; Grand Bay, Gulf Ref. Co. No. A-36 Grand Prairie Levee Dist., S5-20S-19E, 148 bbls. with 8-64" choke; Lake Washington, Humble Oil & Ref. Co. No. 27-L St. Lse. 2121, Washington, S—, 320 bbls. with ¼" choke; Main Pass Blk. 35, The California Co. No. 32 La. St. 1958, Offshore, 146 bbls. with 7-64" choke; South Pas Blk. 24, The California Co. No. 14 La. St. 1922, Offshore, 276 bbls. with 9-64" choke; So. Pass Blk. 27, Shell Oil Co. No. 1 St. Lse. 1011, Offshore, 262 bbls. with 9-64" choke; Shell Oil Co. No. 1 St. Lse. 1012, Offshore, 234 bbls. with 9-64" choke;

St. Martin — Anse La Butte, Stanolind OAG Co. No. 10 L. D. Bergeron, S36-9S-5E, 113.54 bbls. with 8-64" choke;

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Temple Hargrove et al & Jefferson Lake Sulphur Co. No. 1 State Unit, S47-12S-13E, to 6591-dry; Wildcat, Caroline Hunt Trust Estate No. 1 Brownell-Kidd, S25-13S-12E, to 13,004-dry.

Beauregard — Juanita, Houston Oil Co. of Texas No. A-1 Newport Ind. Fee, S18-5S-10W, to 8055-dry.

Bienville — Alabama Bend, H. E. Davenport et al No. 1 Waites, S10-15N-10W, to 2890-dry.

Bossier — Bellevue, J. C. Mayfield No. 2 McCloud, S13-19N-11W, to 1709-dry; Ivan, A. J. Hodges Inc., Inc. No. 1 Guaranty Realty Corp. Unit, S23-21N-11W, 9359-dry.

Concordia — Wildcat, The Carter Oil Co. No. B-1 Fisher Lbr. Co., S37-7N-9E, to 7002-dry.

Lafourche — LaRose, Hunt Oil Co. No. 1 Hugh A. Hawthorne et al, S49-17S-21E, to 11605-dry.

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Madison — Wildcat, American Liberty Oil Co. & Webb & Knapp No. 1 A. B. Learned S14-15N-14E, to 11293-dry.

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Allen — Clear Creek, F. E. Jameson No. 1 - A Clyde Perkins, S5-6S-7W, to 9000; Wildcat, H. L. Hunt No. 1 Paul Duplechin et al, S16-5S-4W, to 9400'-Cockfield.

Assumption — Napoleonville, Texas Gulf Prod. Co. & Pan American Prod. Co. No. 3 Duras and LeBlanc "A", S28-12S-14E, to 12,000'.

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Caddo — Caddo-Pine Island, C. Wayland Brooks No. 4 Caddo Levee Board, S8-20N-15W, to chalk; C. Wayland Brooks No. 3 Caddo Levee Board, S8-20N-15W to chalk; C. Wayland Brooks No. 2 Caddo Levee Board, S8-20N-15W, to chalk; C. Wayland Brooks No. 1 Caddo Levee Board, S8-20N-15W, to chalk, C. Wayland Brooks No. 6 Caddo Levee Board, S8-20N-15W, to chalk, J. C. Trahan et al No. 2 Ducote, S36-21N-15W, to chalk; Honor Oil Co. T. N. Keoun, S19-21N-14W, to chalk; J. C. Trahan No. 5 G. M. Smiley "A", S10-20N-15W, to chalk; The Texas Co. No. 14 J. W. Atkins Fee, S7-20N-15W, to 1512'; K-Ler Markham No. 2 Muslow, S4-20N-15W, to chalk; J. C. Trahan et al No. 3 Bradford "A", S34-21N-15W, to chalk; N. A. Bizzard No. 2 Mathieu, S7-20N-15W, to chalk; Bogey & Lake No. 2 Homestead Oil Co. Fee "10", S7-20N-15W, to chalk; Y. S. Shepard No. 2 Mrs. Kate Steel et al, S18-20N-15W, to chalk; J. C. Trahan et al No. 1 Ducote, S36-21N-15W, to chalk; Howard S. Cole, Jr. No. 28 Pardue, S33-21N-15W, to chalk; Arkansas Fuel Oil Corp. No. 40 Robinson Fee, S33-21N-15W, to Annona chalk; Arkansas Fuel Oil Corp. No. 39 Robinson Fee, S33-21N-15W, to Annona chalk; Arkansas Fuel Oil Corp. No. 2 Hunter Fee, S7-20N-15W, to Annona chalk; Joe Bander No. 2 Mrs. Viola H. Holmes, S24-22N-15W, to Naratoch, J. O. Blackmore No. 1 J. M. Lambert, S10-20N-15W, to chalk; The Texas Co. No. 19 J. W. Atkins Fee, S7-20N-15W, to 1532'; The Texas Co. No. 16 J. W. Atkins Fee, S7-20N-15W, to 1535'; The Texas Co. No. 15 J. W. Atkins Fee, S7-20N-15W, to 1534'; The Texas Co. No. 8 J. W. Atkins Fee, S7-20N-15W, to 1533'; The Texas Co. No. 20 J. W. Atkins Fee, S7-20N-15W, to 1528'; J. C. Trahan et al No. 1 Bradford "A", S34-21N-15W, to chalk; The Texas Co. No. 90 (SWD) Caddo Mineral Lands Co., S23-21N-15W, to 2000'; F. F. Hodge No. 1 Thacker, S34-21N-15W, to Chalk; Brooks and Lee No. 5 Cook et al, S11-20N-16W, to chalk; The Germg Co. of Arkansas No. 30 Muslow "40", S5-20N-15W, to chalk; Lewis & Manziel No. 30 Muslow, S6-20N-15W, to chalk; MGM Oil Co. No. C-6 Hobbs, S28-21N-15W, to 1550'-Annona; M. Archer No. 3 Surrey Oil, S21-20N-16W, to chalk-1550'; R. J. Griggsby No. 4 Oil City Land, S7-20N-15W, to chalk; R. J. Griggsby No. 2 Bogan, S7-20N-15W, to chalk; Sam Sklar et al No. 5 Surrey Oil, S12-20N-16W, to chalk; Greenwood-Waskom, Union Producing Co. et al No. A-1 Agurs Unit, S14-17N-16W, to dually complete; Greenwood Waskom No. B-1-C, W. C. Woolf Fee Unit, S35-18N-16W, to 9200'; Longwood, E. E. Stephens No. 5 L. S. Rudd, S18-18N-16W, to 2400'; Longwood, E. E. Stephens No. 1 Mitchell, S20-18N-16W, to Fredericksburg Series; Longwood, E. E. Stephens No. 2 Mitchell Fee, S20-18N-16W, to Fredericksburg Series.

Calcasieu — Starks, Jefferson Lake Sulphur Co. No. 103-J Lutcher Moore, S19-9S-12W, to Sulphur - Oypsum.

Cameron — Big Lake, Stanolind Oil and Gas Co. No. 1 Ophelia Granger, S2-12S-9W, to 14,000'- Camerina; East Hackberry, Sam J. Recile No. 4 State Lse. 42, S36-12S-10W, to 5000'; East Mud Lake, Magnolia Pet. Co. No. 5 Lutcher "C", S19-14S-10W, to 13,000'; West Hackberry, Shell Oil Co. No. 15 Mrs. J. B. Watkins, S24-12S-11W, to 10,500'.

Claiborne — East Haynesville, Zach Brooks Drlg. Co. and Texas Crude Oil Co. No. 1 Hardin - aller et al, S28-23N-7W, to Birdsong - Owens; East Haynesville, Southwest Natural Production Co. No. A-1 Miller - Beane, S33-23N-7W, to 5600'-Birdsong - Owens; Homer, Maritzky and Bibby No. 1 Muslow, S30-21N-7W, to Nacatoch.

Concordia — Horshoe, D. E. Vasser No. 3 Rose Oil Co.-Vasser & Brown - B. D. King et al, S1-6N-7E, to 6000'-Wilcox.

DeSoto — Behtany - Longstreet, Midwest Oil Corp. No. 1 J. T. Wurtsbaugh Unit, S36-14N-16W, to 7000'-Travis Peak; Wildcat, Scooter & Drlg. Service No. 2 W. F. Johnson, S6-11N-13W, to Paluxy.

East Carroll — Epps Field, H. L. Hawkins & F. S. Kelly, Jr. No. 6 Hawkins & Kelly Fee, S1-19N-10E, to Monroe Gas Rock;

Evangeline — Wildcat, Midstates Oil Corp. No. 1 Rouse Hebert Unit, S32-5S-2E, to 13,000'.

Iberia — Weeks Island, Shell Oil Co. No. 1 Weeks - Gail State Unit 4, S11-14S-6E, to 15,350'.

Iberville — Bayou des Glaise, Humble Oil & Ref. Co. No. 5 E. B. Schwing et al "B," S86-8S-8E, to 12,500'.

Lafayette — Anse La Butte, E. M. Carpenter No. 2 Crusaders, S36-9S-5E, to Salt 2500'.

Lafourche — Bayou des Allemands, Humble Oil & Ref. Co. No. 1 C. E. Gheens, S37-15S-20E, to 13,500'; Clovelly, Humble Oil & Ref. Co. No. 18 Lafourche Land Co. 66-19S-22E, to 13,000'; Golden Meadow, Natural Gas & Oil Co. (Division of Miss. River Fuel Corp.) No. A-1 Tamplain - Talbot, S19-19S-22E, to 5000'; Timballier Bay, Gulf Ref. Co. No. 61 La. St. "PP" Lese No. 192, S—23S-21E, to 9000'-Miocene; Valentine, H. L. Hawkins No. 1 C. J. Plaisance, S24-17S-20E, to 8550'.

Natchitoches — Lake End, E. C. Wentworth - Como Drlg. Co. No. 2 Clinton, S36-11N-10W, to 1900'-Wolf City Sand.

Plaquemines — Dixon Bay, The California Co. No. 3 Buras Levee Dist. et al Unit, S—23S-31E, to 8900'; Dixon Bay, The California Co. No. 4 La St. Lse. 1923, S—23S-31E, to 8900'-TVD; Dixon Bay, Shell Oil Co. No. B-3 State Lse. 1388, S24-23S-31E, to 9000'; Grand Bay, Gulf Ref. Co. No. 36 Grand Prairie Levee Dist. "A," S7-30S-19E, to 7300'-Miocene; Lake Washington, Humble Oil & Ref. Co. No. 27-U State Lse. 2121-Lake Washington, S—, to 10,-164-10,180'; South Pass Blk. 24, Shell Oil Co. No. 15 State Lse. 998, S—, to 8000'; South Pass Blk. 24, Shell Oil Co. No. 19 State Lse. 998, S—, to 9700'; South Pass Blk. 27, Shell Oil Co. No. 3 St. Lse. 1012 (OCS-0353), S—, to 13,000'.

St. Landry — North Cankton, J. E. Treadway No. 1 Willie P. Auguste, S12-8S-3E, to 4000'; Shuteston, Sun Oil Co. No. 5 Burleigh Miller Pool, S37-7S-4E, to 10,200'; Shuteston, Sun Oil Co. No. 1 Chas. A. Castille, S1-8S-3E, to 12,000'.

St. Mary — Charenton, Fifteen Oil Co. No. 6 Veeder Hunt, S30-13S-10E, to 9650'; Jeanerette, R. J. Caraway No. 3 LaMollie County Bank & Trust Co., S70-13S-9E, to 5500'-Miocene.

Tensas — Holly Ridge, Union Producing Co. No. 1 (UPC) Ogden, S16-11N-10E, to 3200'.

Terrebonne — Deer Island, Union Producing Co. No. B-9 Continental Land & Fur Co., S27-18S-12E, to 11,500'.

Union — Monroe Gas, Louisiana Gas Production Co. No. 1 Hay et al, S8-19N-3E, to Monroe Gas Rock.

Vermilion — Live Oak, Houston Oil Co. of Texas No. 1 Casey Pierce, S87-14S-3E, to 14,000'-Miocene;

Webster — Springhill, J. Paul Ratcliff, Jr. No. 1 Springhill Unit, S2-23N-11W, to 3200'-Tokio.

West Carroll — Wildcat, H. L. Hawkins and F. S. Kelly, Jr. No. 2 Marston-Herold, S15-19N-10E, to Monroe Gas Rock.

Winn — Wildcat, Sherrod - Jacobs No. 1 B. F. Allbritton, S4-10N-1E, to Upper Wilcox.

Dry Hole Yields New Technique In Rotary Drilling

TULSA, Dec. 25 (AP) —A $350,000 well sunk into the hard rock of west central Arkansas was completed as a dry hole but its operator is enthusiastic about a new drilling technique developed there that could mean much to the oil industry.

A method was found to spin a standard rotary bit through the unusually tough strata near Morrilton at what the well's owner termed a "phenomenal rate."

The procedure, said Carter Oil Co. of Tulsa, operator of the J. H. Jones, is a slight variation of air drilling in which jets of air cool the bit.

Carter moved up three compressors and used their exhaust vapers and the rig drilling engine to cool the bit. Before the vapor was shot down the hollow drill pipe it was cooled, treated with anticorrosive chemicals and compressed to 100 pounds per square inch.

The experiment with exhaust vapor is believed to be the first, Carter said.

"It points the way to further experimentaion and to lower costs and faster drilling in some areas," the firm reported. "It is conceivable that some day it could mean the oil industry could drill two exploratory wells for the cost of one by present methods."

The use of exhaust vapor at the Arkansas wildcat had to be called off during the early stages of the drilling because of wet formations. Carter said drilling mud had to be put into the hole to keep it from collapsing.

For five months the crew continued drilling with mud, wearing out bits with frequent regularity. Progress was at one time one foot in 3¼ hours.

Then they passed the wet sands and again struck the iron-like stone strata. Mud was abandoned and exhaust vapor substituted.

"Progress was electrifying," the company said.

Early in September, at 3,600 feet and far below the soggy formations, a single bit cooled by exhaust vapor chewed through 732 feet in 58 hours.

An examination of the bit, after its record-setting pace, showed its teeth were almost as sharp as the day they were forged.

Carter said the advantage of exhaust vapor over air and natural gas drilling is that there is less likelihood of an explosion because the former contains little oxygen.

However, the company added, vapor can be used only in dry, hard formations. When there is a possibility the drill hole may crumble, mud must be used.

Five Producers Are Brought In During Past Week

Five producers, two of which were in LaSalle parish, were brought in during the past week, according to a weekly field report of oil and gas wells drilled and completed in the Monroe district for the period ending Dec. 22. The report, which also listed three wells plugged and abandoned and five new locations, was issued by the local office of the department of conservation, minerals division.

Producers brought in included:

E. C. Wentworth-Como Drlg. Co.-Quinn No. A-3, completed on Dec. 17 at a depth of 6,714 feet and gauged at 175 bbls with a gravity of 33. It is located in Section 24, Township 4, Range 6E of the Bee Brake field of Concordia parish.

Nebo Oil Co.-Nebo-Nebo Fee No. 18, completed on Dec. 15 at a depth of 4,269 feet and gauged at six bbls. It is located in Section 14, Township 7, Range 3E of the Nebo Hemphill field of LaSalle parish.

Harter Oil Co.-Louis Tulos No. 6, completed on Dec. 17 at 1,509 feet and gauged at 20 bbls. It is located in Section 23, Township 10, Range 1E of the Tullos-Urania field of LaSalle parish.

H. L. Rowley-M. A. Adams No. 1, completed on Nov. 28 at a depth of 9167 feet and gauged at 68 bbls. with a gravity of 58. It is located in Section 20, Township 10, 11E in Section 23, Township 10, Range 11E of the wild cat field of Tensas parish.

Siuthwest Nat'l Prod. Co.-Flora Potts et al No. 1, completed on Dec. 16 at 2174 feet in 118 MCF and located in Section 14, Township 20, Range 2E of the Monroe field of Union parish.

Wells plugged and abandoned were:

East Carroll parish (Epps field)-H. L. Haw & F. S. Kelly, Jr.,-H & K Fee, No. 6, plugged on Dec. 18 in Sec. 1-19-10E.

Concordia parish (Esperance Point field)-Jett Drlg. Co.-Hogue Esperance No. 3 abandoned on Dec. 17 in 5N-9E.

LaSalle parish (wild cat field)-Magnolia Pet. Co.-Urania Lbr. Co.-No. 6, plugged and abandoned on Dec. 19 in Sec. 31-11-2E.

New locations were:

Concordia parish (wild cat field)-E. C. Wentworth-Como Drlg. Co.-Schuchardt et al No. 1, from the corner common to Sec. 8, 9, 10, and 11, run on a bearing of north 6 degrees 41' east for 236' to location, Sec. 8-7-10E. (Bee Brake field)-Hunt Oil Co.-Angelina Lbr. Co., No. C-18, 660'S-1980'E of the NW corner, Sec. 17-4-7E.

LaSalle parish (Tullos - Urania field)-Viola Oil Co.-H. B. Bass No. 2, 50'N-1372'W of the SE corner, Sec. 26-10-1E.

Richland parish (wild cat field)-A. W. Phillips-F. McManus No. 1, 600'N and west of the SE corner, Sec. 22-17-8E. (Delhi field)-Murphy-Sun Oil Co.-J. W. Nicholson Gas Unit No. 3, 145.3'S-100'E of the NE corner of the SE¼, Sec. 15-17-9E.

Ceylon Official Urges Economic Help For Asia

MANILA (AP) — Ceylon's Prime Minister, Sir John Kotelawala, said today that if Asia's masses come to believe in communism "they could easily march to kingdom come and the West would not last 10 minutes."

Kotelawala, who arrived here last night on the final lap of a world tour, told a news conference that the greatest single force the democracies could use against the Communists in Asia would be economic—not military.

"Raise the living standard of the Asian masses and you will have won the battle against internal communism. Improve Asia's economy through self-help and development—not hand outs."

The outspoken Ceylon leader said Red China has "developed so rapidly that many Asian countries are impressed and may look to her for guidance." He added:

"To combat this, you have to educate the masses, to show them the benefits of democracies. The common man in Asia does not know the difference—communism, democracy or what else. All he cares is that his stomach is filled. You have to teach him the benefits of democracy.

"If you have 600 million people believing in an idea—in communism, they could easily march to kingdom come and the West would not last 10 minutes."

Referring to the Manila treaty designed to stop Red aggression in Asia, Kotelawala said:

"We will join when the time comes. So far the occasion has not arisen. But SEATO or no SEATO, we shall fight whenever we are attacked."

The Manila treaty, sometimes referred to as the Southeast Asia Treaty Organization, was signed in Manila last September by eight nations, including the United States.

Marines Enjoy Hospitality Of Albuquerque

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., Dec. 25 —UP— Seventy - four boot Marines, stranded here by engine trouble flying home on their first leave, bunked at the Franciscan Hotel Friday night after a festive dinner party washed down with spiked egg nog — all of it free.

While the Marines were waiting for engine repairs to be completed so they could proceed eastward for Christmas at home, the hotel invited them to wait in comfort. Leonard's restaurant laid on the dinner, and liquor dealers and dairies rushed in supplies for a foamy egg nog.

The Marines all are stationed at Camp Pendleton, Calif., and are on their first furlough.

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LOUISIANA OIL AND GAS NEWS

STATE REPORTS

BATON ROUGE, Dec. 26 —The Louisiana Department of Conservation in its weekly oil report lists completion of 21 wells with an initial daily production of 3,609.82 bbls. oil and 9,508 MCF of gas, abandonment of 15 tests and issuance of permits for 92 wells.

Completions were:

Acadia — North Crowley, Humble Oil & Ref. Co. No. 13 P. J. Reiners, S45-8S-1E, 24 bbls. with ¾" choke.

Allen — Kinder Sun Oil Co. No. 2 Stout Kinder Canal Unit 1, S26-6S-5W, 1622 bbls. with 8-64" choke.

Cameron — Big Lake, Stanolind Oil & Gas Co. No. 1 LeBleu Sand Unit 18, S9-12S-9W, 135 bbls. with 10-64" choke;

Grant — Mill Creek, Clay Oil & Gas Corp. No. 1 Urania, S24-7N-1E, 31 bbls. pumping.

Iberia — Fausse Point, R. B. Prentice Drlg. Co. No. 2 J. D. Broussard et al, S26-11S-8E, 96 bbls. with 6-64" choke.

Jefferson — Grand Isle Blk. 18, Humble Oil & Ref. Co. No. D-3 St. Lse. 798, offshore, 195.84 bbls. with ¼" choke.

Jefferson Davis — Lake Arthur, Union Sulphur & Oil Corp. No. B-1 Maple Hughes, S34-10S-4W, 48 bbls. oil & 3,415 MCF gas with 10-64" choke.

Lafourche — Bully Camp, Gulf Ref. Co. No. 65 Delta Sec. Co. Inc., S36-18S-20E, 155 bbls. with 8-64" choke; Lake Long, Texas Gulf Prod. Co. No. 17 St. Lake Long, S77-17S-19E, 61 bbls. & 4,843 MCF gas with 18-64" choke.

Plaquemines — Dixon Bay, The California Co. No. 4 Geo. T. Armstrong 2 et al, S13-23S-31E, 219 bbls. with 8-64" choke; Grand Bay, Gulf Ref. Co. No. A-36 Grand Prairie Levee Dist., S5-20S-19E, 148 bbls. with 8-64" choke; Lake Washington, Humble Oil & Ref. Co. No. 27-L St. Lse. 212-L, Washington, S—, 320 bbls. with ½" choke; Main Pass Blk. 35, The California Co. No. 32 La. St. 1958, Offshore, 146 bbls. with 7-64" choke; South Pas Blk. 24, The California Co. No. 14 La. St. 1922, Offshore, 276 bbls. with 9-64" choke; So. Pass Blk. 27, Shell Oil Co. No. 1 St. Lse. 1011, Offshore, 262 bbls. with 9-64" choke; Shell Oil Co. No. 1 St. Lse. 1012, Offshore, 234 bbls. with 9-64" choke;

St. Martin — Anse La Butte, Stanolind O&G Co. No. 10 L. D. Bergeron, S88-9S-5E, 113.54 bbls. with 8-64" choke;

St. Mary — Cote Blanche Island, The Texas Co. No. 25 St. Lse. 340-C.B.I., S—15S-7E, 321 bbls. with 9-64" choke; Eugene Island, Magnolia Pet. Co. No. H-L-D St. Lse. 691, Offshore, 274.44 bbls. with 13-64" choke; Weeks Island, Shell Oil Co. No. 1 Smith-Weeks Gall, S13-14S-6E, 318 bbls. with 9-64" choke.

Tensas-Locus Ridge, H. L. Rowley No. 1 M. D. Adams, S20-10N-11E, 70 bbls. & 12,500 MCF gas with 10-64" Choke.

Temple Hargrove et al & Jefferson Lake Sulphur Co. No. 1 State Unit, S47-12S-13E, to 6591-dry; Wildcat, Caroline Hunt Trust Estate No. 1 Brownell-Kidd, S25-13S-12E, to 13,004-dry.

Beauregard — Juanita, Houston Oil Co. of Texas No. A-1 Newport Ind. Fee, S18-5S-10W, to 8055-dry.

Blenville — Alabama Bend, H. E. Davenport et al No. 1 Waites, S10-15N-10W, to 2890-dry.

Bossier — Bellevue, J. C. Mayfield No. 2 McCloud, S13-19N-11W, to 1700-dry; Ivan, A. J. Hodges Inc., Inc. No. 1 Guaranty Realty Corp. Unit, S23-21N-11W, 9359-dry.

Concordia — Wildcat, The Carter Oil Co. No. B-1 Fisher Lbr. Co., S37-7N-9E, to 7000-dry.

Lafourche — LaRose, Hunt Oil Co. No. 1 Hugh A. Hawthorne et al, S49-17S-21E, to 13005-dry.

LaSalle — Wildcat, Magnolia Pet. Co. No. 1 Hardtner-Tannerhill, S34-11N-2E, to 3934-dry; Wildcat, E. C. Wentworth No. A-1 La. Central Mineral, S36-11N-4E, to 4381-dry.

Lincoln — Wildcat, Natural Gas & Oil Co. No. 1 J. H. Napper, S15-18N-4W, to 10185-dry.

Madison — Wildcat, American Liberty Oil Co. & Webb & Knapp No. 1 A. B. Learned S14-15N-14E, to 11293-dry.

Natchitoches — Ashland, W. C. Feazel No. 1 J. H. Hood, S7-13N-7W, to 5001-dry.

Richland — Big Creek, A. W. Phillips No. 1 John Stovall, S32-17N-8E, to 3156-dry.

Winn — Wildcat, Magnolia Pet. Co. No. 5 Urania Lbr. Co., S2-11N-1E, to 3671-dry.

Permits were:

Allen — Clear Creek, F. E. Jameson No. 1 - A Clyde Perkins, S5-6S-7W, to 9000; Wildcat, H. L. Hunt No. 1 Paul Duplechin et al, S16-5S-4W, to 9400'-Cockfield;

Assumption — Napoleonville, Texas Gulf Prod. Co. & Pan American Prod. Co. No. 3 Duras and LeBlanc "A", S28-12S-14E, to 12,000'.

Beauregard — Wildcat, General Crude Oil Co. & Dorrance & Co., Inc. No. 1 W. Doornboos, S14-4S-10W, to 9800'-Wilcox.

Bienville — Cypress Springs, The Pure Oil Co. No. 1 Hodge - Hunt, S35-17N-7W, to Pettit.

Bossier — Bellevue, Barnwell Drilling Co. No. B-1 Lodwick Lbr. Co. Fee, S23-19N-11W, to Travis Peak; Cottage Grove, Lion Oil Co. No. 1 Nattin, S30-21N-13W, to 2000'-Buckrange; Wildcat, Shackelford & Boucher No. 1 J. M. Sentell Heirs, S9-21N-13W, to 3800'.

Caddo — Caddo-Pine Isand, C. Wayland Brooks No. 4 Caddo Levee Board, S8-20N-15W, to chalk; C. Wayland Brooks No. 3 Caddo Levee Board, S8-20N-15W, to chalk; C. Wayland Brooks No. 2 Caddo Levee Board, S8-20N-15W, to chalk; C. Wayland Brooks No. 1 Caddo Levee Board, S8-20N-15W, to chalk; C. Wayland Brooks No. 6 Caddo Levee Board, S8-20N-15W, to chalk; J. C. Trahan et al No. 2 Ducote, S36-21N-15W, to chalk; Honor Oil Co. 7 T. N. Keoun, S19-21N-14W, to chalk; J. C. Trahan No. 5 G. M. Smiley "A", S10-20N-15W, to chalk; The Texas Co. No. 14 J. W. Atkins Fee, S7-20N-15W, to 1542'; Ko-Ler Markham No. 2 Muslow, S4-20N-15W, to chalk; J. C. Trahan et al No. 3 Bradford "A", S34-21N-15W, to chalk; N. A. Blizzard No. 2 Mathieu, S7-20N-15W, to chalk; Boger & Lake No. 2 Homestead Oil Co. Fee "10", S7-20N-15W, to chalk; Y. S. Shepard No. 2 Mrs. Kate Spell et al, S18-20N-15W, to chalk; J. C. Traham et al No. 1 Ducote, S36-21N-15W, to chalk; Howard S. Cole, Jr. No. 28 Pardue, S33-21N-15W, to chalk; Arkansas Fuel Oil Corp. No. 40 Robinson Fee, S33-21N-15W, to Annona chalk; Arkansas Fuel Oil Corp. No. 39 Robinson Fee, S33-21N-15W, to annona chalk; Arkansas Fuel Oil Corp. No. 2 Hunter Fee, S7-20N-15W, to Annona chalk; Joe Bander No. 3 Mrs. Viola H. Holmes, S24-22N-15W, to Nacatoch; J. O. Blasingame No. 1 J. M. Lambert, S10-20N-15W, to chalk; The Texas Co. No. 19 J. W. Atkins Fee, S7-20N-15W, to 1532' The Texas Co. No. 16 J. W. Atkins Fee, S7-20N-15W, to 1535'; The Texas Co. No. 18 J. W. Atkins Fee, S7-20N-15W, to 1534'; The Texas Co. No. 8 J. W. Atkins Fee, S7-20N-15W, to 1533'; The Texas Co. No. 20 J. W. Atkins Fee, S7-20N-15W, to 1528'; J. C. Trahan et al No. 1 Bradford "A", S34-21N-15W, to chalk; The Texas Co. No. 90 (SWD) Caddo Mineral Lands Co., S23-21N-15W, to 2000'; T. F. Hodge No. 1 Thacker, S34-21N-15W, to Chalk; Brooks And Lee No. 5 Cook et al, S11-20N-16W, to chalk; The Gerhig Co. of Arkansas No. 30 Muslow "40", S5-20N-15W, to chalk; Lewis & Manziel No. 30 Muslow, S6-20N-15W, to chalk; MGM Oil Co. No. C-6 Hobbs, S28-21N-15W, to 1550'-Annona; M. Ascher No. 3 Surrey Oil, S21-20N-16W, to chalk-1550'; R. J. Grigsby No. 4 Oil City Land, S7-20N-15W, to chalk; R. J. Grigsby No. 2 Bogan, S7-20N-15W, to chalk; Sam Sklar et al No. 5 Surrey Oil, S12-20N-16W, to chalk; Greenwood-Waskom, Union Producing Co. et al No. A-1 Agurs Unit, S14-17N-16W, to dually complete; Greenwood Waskom No. B-1-C. W. C. Woolf Fee Unit, S35-18N-16W, to 9200'; Longwood, E. E. Stephens No. 5 L. S. Rudd, S18-18N-16W, to 2400'; Longwood, E. E. Stephens No. 1 Mitchell, S20-18N-16W, to Fredericksburg Series; Longwood, E. E. Stephens No. 2 Mitchell Fee, S20-18N-16W, to Fredericksburg Series.

Calcasieu — Starks, Jefferson Lake Sulphur Co. No. 103-J Lutcher - Moore, S19-9S-12W, to Sulphur - Gypsum.

Cameron — Big Lake, Stanolind Oil and Gas Co. No. 1 Ophelia Granger, S2-12S-9W, to 14,000'- Camerina; East Hackberry, Sam J. Recile No. 4 State Lse. 42, S36-12S-10W, to 5000'; East Mud Lake, Magnolia Pet. Co. No. 8 Lutcher "C", S19-14S-10W, to 13,000'; West Hackberry, Shell Oil Co. No. 15 Mrs. J. B. Watkins, S24-12S-11W, to 10,500'.

Claiborne — East Haynesville, Zach Brooks Drlg. Co. and Texas Crude Oil Co. No. 1 Hardin - aller et al, S28-23N-7W, to Birdsong - Owens; East Haynesville, Southwest Natural Production Co. No. A-1 Miller - Beane, S33-23N-7W, to 5600'-Birdsong - Owens; Homer, Maritzky and Bibby No. 1 Muslow, S30-21N-7W, to Nacatoch.

Concordia — Horshoe, D. E. Vasser No. 3 Rose Oil Co.-Vasser & Brown - B. D. King et al, S1-6N-7E, to 6000'-Wilcox.

DeSoto — Behtany - Longstreet, Midwest Oil Corp. No. 1 J. T. Wurtsbaugh Unit, S36-14N-16W, to 7000'-Travis Peak; Wildcat, Scooter & Drlg. Service No. 2 W. F. Johnson, S8-11N-13W, to Paluxy.

East Carroll — Epps Field, H. L. Hawkins & F. S. Kelly, Jr. No. 6 Hawkins & Kelly Fee, S1-19N-10E, to Monroe Gas Rock;

Evangeline — Wildcat, Midstates Oil Corp. No. 1 Rouse Hebert Unit, S52-5S-2E, to 13,000'.

Iberia — Weeks Island, Shell Oil Co. No. 1 Weeks - Gall State Unit 4, S11-14S-6E, to 15,350'.

Iberville — Bayou des Glaise, Humble Oil & Ref. Co. No. 5 E. B. Schwing et al "B," S86-8S-8E, to 12,500'.

Lafayette — Anse La Butte, E. M. Carpenter No. 2 Crusaders, S36-9S-5E, to Salt 2500'.

Lafourche — Bayou des Allemands, Humble Oil & Ref. Co. No. 1 C. E. Gheens, S37-15S-20E, to 13,500'; Clovelly, Humble Oil & Ref. Co. No. 16 Lafourche Land Co. S6-19S-22E, to 13,000'; Golden Meadow, Natural Gas & Oil Co. (Division of Miss. River Fuel Corp.) No. A-1 Tamplain - Talbot, S19-19S-22E, to 5000'; Timballer Bay, Gulf Ref. Co. No. 61 La. St. "PP" Lese No. 192, S—23S-21E, to 9000'-Miocene; Valentine, H. L. Hawkins No. 1 C. J. Plaisance, S24-17S-20E, to 8550'.

Natchitoches — Lake End, E. C. Wentworth - Como Drlg. Co. No. 2 Clinton, S36-11N-10W, to 1900'-Wolf City Sand.

Plaquemines — Dixon Bay, The California Co. No. 3 Buras Levee Dist. et al Unit, S—23S-31E, to 8900'; Dixon Bay, The California Co. No. 4 La St. Lse. 1923, S—23S-31E, to 8900'-TVD; Dixon Bay, Shell Oil Co. No. B-3 State Lse. 1388, S24-23S-31E, to 9000'; Grand Bay, Gulf Ref. Co. No. 39 Grand Prairie Levee Dist. "A," S7-20S-19E, to 7300'-Miocene; Lake Washington, Humble Oil & Ref. Co. No. 27-U State Lse. 212-Lake Washington, S—, to 10,-134-0,180'- South Pass Blk. 24, Shell Oil Co. No. 15 State Lse. 998, S—, to 8000'; South Pass Blk. 24, Shell Oil Co. No. 19 State Lse. 998, S—, to 9700'; South Pass Blk. 27, Shell Oil Co. No. 3 St. Lse. 1012 (OCS-0353), S—, to 13,000'.

St. Landry — North Cankton, J. E. Treadway No. 1 Willie P. Auguste, S12-8S-3E, to 4000'; Shuteston, Sun Oil Co. No. 5 Burleigh Miller Pool, S37-7S-4E, to 10,200'; Shuteston, Sun Oil Co. No. 1 Chas. A. Castille, S1-8S-3E, to 12,000'.

St. Mary — Charenton, Fifteen Oil Co. No. 6 Veeder Hunt, S30-13S-10E, to 9650'; Jeanerette, R. J. Caraway No. 3 LaMoille County Bank & Trust Co., S70-13S-9E, to 5500'-Miocene.

Tensas — Holly Ridge, Union Producing Co. No. 1 (UPC) Ogden, S16-11N-10E, to 3200'.

Terrebonne — Deer Island, Union Producing Co. No. B-9 Continental Land & Fur Co., S27-18S-12E, to 11,500'.

Union — Monroe Gas, Louisiana Gas Production Co. No. 1 Hay et al, S8-19N-3E, to Monroe Gas Rock.

Vermilion — Live Oak, Houston Oil Co. of Texas No. 1 Casey Pierce, S87-14S-3E, to 14,000'-Miocene;

Webster — Springhill, J. Paul Ratcliff, Jr. No. 1 Springhill Unit, S2-23N-11W, to 3200'-Tokio.

West Carroll — Wildcat, H. L. Hawkins and F. S. Kelly, Jr. No. 2 Marston-Herold, S15-19N-10E, to Monroe Gas Rock.

Winn — Wildcat, Sherrod - Jacobs No. 1 B. F. Allbritton, S4-10N-1E, to Upper Wilcox.

Dry Hole Yields New Technique In Rotary Drilling

TULSA, Dec. 25 (AP) —A $350,000 well sunk into the hard rock of west central Arkansas was completed as a dry hole but its operator is enthusiastic about a new drilling technique developed there that could mean much to the oil industry.

A method was found to spin a standard rotary bit through the unusually tough strata near Morrilton at what the well's owner termed a "phenomenal rate."

The procedure, said Carter Oil Co. of Tulsa, operator of the J. H. Jones, is a slight variation of air drilling in which jets of air cool the bit.

Carter moved up three compressors and used their exhaust vapers and the rig drilling engine to cool the bit. Before the vapor was shot down the hollow drill pipe it was cooled, treated with anticorrosive chemicals and compressed to 100 pounds per square inch.

The experiment with exhaust vapor is believed to be the first, Carter said.

"It points the way to further experimentaion and to lower costs and faster drilling in some areas," the firm reported. "It is conceivable that some day it could mean the oil industry could drill two exploratory wells for the cost of one by present methods."

The use of exhaust vapor at the Arkansas wildcat had to be called off during the early stages of the drilling because of wet formations. Carter said drilling mud had to be put into the hole to keep it from collapsing.

For five months the crew continued drilling with mud, wearing out bits with frequent regularity. Progress was at one time one foot in 3¼ hours.

Then they passed the wet sands and again struck the iron-like stone strata. Mud was abandoned and exhaust vapor substituted.

"Progress was electrifying," the company said.

Early in September, at 3,600 feet and far below the soggy formations, a single bit cooled by exhaust vapor chewed through 732 feet in 58 hours.

An examination of the bit, after its record-setting pace, showed its teeth were almost as sharp as the day they were forged.

Carter said the advantage of exhaust vapor over air and natural gas drilling is that there is less likelihood of an explosion because the former contains little oxygen.

However, the company added, vapor can be used only in dry, hard formations. When there is a possibility the drill hole may crumble, mud must be used.

Five Producers Are Brought In During Past Week

Five producers, two of which were in LaSalle parish, were brought in during the past week, according to a weekly field report of oil and gas wells drilled and completed in the Monroe district for the period ending Dec. 22. The report, which also listed three wells plugged and abandoned and five new locations, was issued by the local office of the department of conservation, minerals division.

Producers brought in included:

E. C. Wentworth-Como Drlg. Co.-Quinn No. A-3, completed on Dec. 17 at a depth of 6,714 feet and gauged at 175 bbls with a gravity of 33. It is located in Section 24, Township 4, Range 6E of the Bee Brake field of Concordia parish.

Nebo Oil Co.-Nebo-Nebo Fee No. 18, completed on Dec. 15 at a depth of 4,269 feet and gauged at six bbls. It is located in Section 14, Township 7, Range 3E of the Nebo Hemphill field of LaSalle parish.

Harter Oil Co.-Louis Tulos No. 6, completed on Dec. 17 at 1,509 feet and gauged at 20 bbls. It is located in Section 23, Township 10, Range 1E of the Tullos-Urania field of LaSalle parish.

H. L. Rowley-M. A. Adams No. 1, completed on Nov. 28 at a depth of 9167 feet and gauged at 68 bbls. with a gravity of 58. It is located in Section 20, Township 10, 11E in Section 23, Township 10, Range 11E of the wild cat field of Tensas parish.

Siuthwest Nat'l Prod. Co.-Flora Potts et al No. 1, completed on Dec. 16 at 2174 feet in 118 MCF and located in Section 14, Township 20, Range 2E of the Monroe field of Union parish.

Wells plugged and abandoned were:

East Carroll parish (Epps field)-H. L. Haw & F. S. Kelly, Jr.,-H & K Fee, No. 6, plugged on Dec. 18 in Sec. 1-19-10E.

Concordia parish (Esperance Point field)-Jett Drlg. Co.-Hogue Esperance No. 3 abandoned on Dec. 17 in 5N-9E.

LaSalle parish (wild cat field)-Magnolia Pet. Co.-Urania Lbr. Co.-No. 6, plugged and abandoned on Dec. 19 in Sec. 31-11-2E.

New locations were:

Concordia parish (wild cat field)-E. C. Wentworth-Como Drlg. Co.-Schuchardt et al No. 1, from the corner common to Sec. 8, 9, 10, and 11, run on a bearing of north 6 degrees 41' east for 236' to location, Sec. 8-7-10E. (Bee Brake field)-Hunt Oil Co.-Angelina Lbr. Co., No. C-18, 660'S-1980'E of the NW corner, Sec. 17-4-7E.

LaSalle parish (Tullos - Urania field)-Viola Oil Co.-H. B. Bass No. 2, 50'N-1372'W of the SE corner, Sec. 26-10-1E.

Richland parish (wild cat field)-A. W. Phillips-F. McManus No. 1, 600'N and west of the SE corner, Sec. 22-17-8E. (Delhi field)-Murphy-Sun Oil Co.-J. W. Nicholson Gas Unit No. 3, 145.3'S-100'E of the NE corner of the SE¼, Sec. 15-17-9E.

Ceylon Official Urges Economic Help For Asia

MANILA (AP) — Ceylon's Prime Minister, Sir John Kotelawala, said today that if Asia's masses come to believe in communism "they could easily march to kingdom come and the West would not last 10 minutes."

Kotelawala, who arrived here last night on the final lap of a world tour, told a news conference that the greatest single force the democracies could use against the Communists in Asia would be economic—not military.

"Raise the living standard of the Asian masses and you will have won the battle against internal communism. Improve Asia's economy through self-help and development—not hand outs."

The outspoken Ceylon leader said Red China has "developed so rapidly that many Asian countries are impressed and may look to her for guidance." He added:

"To combat this, you have to educate the masses, to show them the benefits of democracies. The common man in Asia does not know the difference—communism, democracy or what else. All he cares is that his stomach is filled. You have to teach him the benefits of democracy.

"If you have 600 million people believing in an idea—in communism, they could easily march to kingdom come and the West would not last 10 minutes."

Referring to the Manila treaty designed to stop Red aggression in Asia, Kotelawala said:

"We will join when the time comes. So far the occasion has not arisen. But SEATO or no SEATO, we shall fight whenever we are attacked."

The Manila treaty, sometimes referred to as the Southeast Asia Treaty Organization, was signed in Manila last September by eight nations, including the United States.

Marines Enjoy Hospitality Of Albuquerque

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., Dec. 25 —UP— Seventy - four boot Marines, stranded here by engine trouble flying home on their first leave, bunked at the Franciscan Hotel Friday night after a festive dinner party washed down with spiked egg nog — all of it free.

While the Marines were waiting for engine repairs to be completed so they could proceed eastward for Christmas at home, the hotel invited them to wait in comfort. Leonard's restaurant laid on the dinner, and liquor dealers and dairies rushed in supplies for a foamy egg nog.

The Marines all are stationed at Camp Pendleton, Calif., and are on their first furlough.

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Then just last Sunday, Earl (Jug) Girard proved a surprise for the Clevelanders. Thought of here mostly as a hard-running halfback and a good punter, Girard picked off four passes, the last one for the winning touchdown.

Tomorrow's game will be carried on the Dumont Television Network.

Probable starting lineups:

Cleveland		Detroit
Brewster	LE	Dibble
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Sandusky	RT	Ane
Lavelli	RE	Girard
Graham	QB	Layne
Hanulak	LH	Walker
Reynolds	RH	Carpenter
Bassett	FB	Bowman



PREVIEW OF TODAY'S GAME? Doak Walker of the Detroit Lions brings down Chet Hanulak after the Cleveland Brown's halfback had made a five-yard gain in the second quarter of last Sunday's game at Cleveland. This afternoon, the same teams meet again for the pro championship. Cleveland's Lou Groza is at left, above, and in the background is Detroit's Torgy Torgeson.

Big Ten Vs. NCAA Jan. 5th

Many Problems Facing Hunters In Management

The Associated Press

Man, the mighty hunter, is faced with many a perplexing new problem in era of modern game management.

For instance, a hunter checking in a deer taken during a Michigan season in which any deer was legal game, baffled biologist Ralph MacMullen. Recording standard statistics, MacMullen noted the six-inch antlers, then checked the animal's teeth—then checked them again.

Same result. The animal had fawn teeth, and deer don't grow antlers until their second year. So MacMullen took another look at the antlers. Sure enough, a close check showed an old pair of antlers had been sewed neatly on the fawn's head. The biologist turned to the mighty hunter.

"Aw, I couldn't bring in a fawn," said the M. H. "what would the kids think?"

While many of the leading deer hunting states are having their problems keeping the herds thinned out so there's enough food to grow big deer, Iowa was at the other end of the see-saw this year.

The state, whose rice farming acres have known no big game season between late Indian times and 1935, found their bucks grown to super size. One buck brought to a state checking staton weighed 268 pounds, another 245 pounds.

The fellow who shot at a sparrow and killed a goose has nothing on Pete Snider of Desoto, Mo. Missouri warden Bill Fowler reports that Snider, shooting standard No. 7 fine shot, let loose at a quail on the rise, killed a buck deer in a thicket beyond. Three of the tiny bird shot had penetrated the chest cavity. Fowler said he discovered on dressing the animal out before turning it over to a state institution.

Oh yes, Snider killed the quail, too.

Two for one, and on purpose at that, was the shooting achievement of Henry Laramie, New Hampshire fish and game department biologist. Laramie spotted a bobcat sleeping in the woods. Checking his prey with field glasses, he discovered there were two of them, side by side.

It took some manuevering, but Laramie finally got into a position where he could turn the trick—both cats with one shot.

Nowadays hunters spend more time keeping track of their hunting kills on some species than they do in making the kills themselves, all for the sake of research. But if Pennsylvania hunters had to list their pheasants in order—they don't—one Quaker State nimrod would have a special problem.

A deputy game protector reported to headquarters that he saw this hunter flush a cock pheasant and shoot it. As he picked it up and opened his coat to stash it away, a bird already in his coat dashed out and ran. He dropped his second bird—or was it his first?— and shot the first—or was it his second?— with another shot.

By HUGH FULLERTON JR.

NEW YORK, Dec. 25 (AP)—When the National Collegiate Athletic Association holds its annual convention here Jan. 5-7, there's a hassle scheduled that has been characterized as "more likely to destroy the NCAA than anything since the sanity code."

This is expected to arise from the Big Ten's loudly-voiced demand for a program of regional television of football games, instead of the one national game a week restriction that has been in effect the past four seasons.

It may never come to an open battle. NCAA leaders, still tender from the sanity code struggle a few years ago, will do their best to prevent a fight that could lead to a break-up. And there are strong indications that they'll be able to maneuver a quiet settlement.

But there's bound to be enough furore that many fans will be asking: "what is the NCAA? What right does it have to dictate to the Big Ten on television or to investigate Oklahoman's athletic policies or to tell college teams they can't go to certain bowl games? And, for that matter, what difference would it make if the NCAA does crack up?"

The answer is deceptively simple. The NCAA is just what its name indicates, an association of colleges concerned with athletics. It has only the powers granted to it by the colleges. They were the ones who voted the sanity code in and out and who gave the NCAA control over football television. It's in the operations that the NCAA can become exceedingly complex.

Originally a rules-making "educational body with neither legislative nor executive functions," the NCAA has grown into a sort of federal government of college athletics. To break it up would be to undo most of the work accomplished by the colleges in joint action over nearly 50 years and to leave the schools and conferences to deal individually with such touchy common problems as television.

This governing body, whose membership now includes 415 colleges, 18 allied conferences, 6 associate institutions and 11 affiliated associations of coaches, etc., grew out of a 1905 conference to decide whether football should be abolished.

The dicision was to "reform football" — a suggestion frequently repeated in the intervening years — and the appointment of a rules committee was the first step in the organization of the intercollegiate athletic association. The NCAA took its present name in 1910.

Until about 1920, the NCAA was primarily concerned with establishing uniform rules for various sports. Then, starting with the first NCAA track championships in 1921, it entered an era of tournaments. As early as 1916, the association resolved to petition some large foundation to survey intercollegiate athletics, but it wasn't until after World War II that it assumed legislative and executive powers.

That move, hailed as a great forward step, nearly led to a crackup as a strong minority found the strict principles of the sanity code unacceptable. It took some cagey maneuvering and backtracking to preserve the organization.

Now comes television and the big money involved to create another crisis. The Big Ten calls the 1954 type of program "entirely unacceptable." The struggle may never reach the convention floor, as the sanity code did. The outcome likely will depend on preconvention "politicking" —and the NCAA has some politicians who could show Tammany Hall a few tricks.

One simple move to avert an open scrap already has been made. Instead of waiting for the convention, a report by the TV committee listing five proposals for 1955 has been sent to the member colleges. They'll be asked to list their preferences in a "straw ballot" for the guidance of the incoming committee. There won't be a mandate to follow any one plan unless the dissatisfied minority can force some such action.

That may be just a move to keep the convention from bogging down in fruitless debate, but it shows how the leaders can control the democratic processes of the association. And the NCAA is a typical democratic body.

Basically sound and sensible, it often is unpredictable and susceptible to manipulation by its leaders. It is addicted to secrecy in certain matters and to the use of a sort of professorial gobbledegook that mystifies the public. One of the principal duties of executive secretary Walter Byers is translating NCAA language and decisions into words newspaper men can understand.

Because of the scattered membership and rather complex organization, the NCAA officers and council can exercise influence far beyond their stated powers. But the sanity code fuss showed there are limits to what they can do before being brought up short by the members. In the long run, the majority rules—and the majority usually means the large number of small colleges which have little to do with big-time athletics.

Between conventions, the 18-man NCAA council makes and directs policies and generally runs the show. Various committees do the detail work.

Because football television and football tickets involve huge sums of money, the television committee probably has the biggest current job. Other important ones are the executive committee; the infractions committee, which is the council's investigation group in dealing with discipline, and the extra events committee, which deals with bowl games.

The TV committee has to work out a control plan each year and then, after the colleges have approved it, handle all the details of a $4,000,000 package, including selection of a network and approving sponsors, administering the program and answering a firm "no" to demands for changes or exceptions.

Contrary to a rather common belief, the NCAA itself doesn't get any big share of the $4,000,000 the sponsors put up. It merely grants the networks and sponsors the right to negotiate with the participating colleges. An assessment is levied to pay the committee's expenses and a good part of that has been returned to the colleges each year. The NCAA'S biggest source of income is the comparatively new basketball tournament.

Likewise the committee has no clearly defined powers to compel colleges to follow its plan. That comes under the constitutional pledge to adhere to the association's legislation. The big threat to schools that might get out of line is that the others won't play them —in any sport, although suspension or termination of membership are possible penalties.

That worked out in a curious way in 1951, when a vote to suspend seven sanity code violators failed to muster the necessary two-thirds majority. The officers ruled that since a majority had favored the motion, the "sinful seven" were "not in good standing" and hence ineligible for NCAA competitions. The same gimmick quickly brought Penn into line when that school threatened to ignore the TV restrictions.

Another indication of the council's influence came when it proposed outlawing two-platoon football. Rules committee members said it couldn't be done and only 66 of about 300 delegates voted on the curiously-worded resolution, introduced at the fag end of the convention. But the rules committee, taking it as an order, quickly reversed its stand.

Although the NCAA seldom gets much publicity except when it is criticised, it has initiated a lot of constructive moves in recent years. It studied the bowl games, decided some weren't giving the colleges a good enough break and ruled out those which wouldn't comply with the standards it established. The NCAA also made studies of playing and practice sessions, leading to the limits adopted last year.

It used its influence to bring about the elimination of federal tax on college sports admissions, a great help to financially embarrassed schools. It set up a group insurance plan which now covers some 37,000 athletes. It is constantly seeking ways to eliminate football injuries.

At the same time, the NCAA manages to run championship meets in 13 sports, help various groups interested in promoting intercollegiate sport, take a big part in the Olympic and Pan American games, publish nine sports guides and perform various other services.

Johnson To Be Main Guest Of Sports Scribes

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 25 (AP)—Arnold Johnson, president of the new Kansas City Athletics, will be a main guest at the second annual diamond dinner of the Milwaukee Baseball Writers' Chapter, it was announced tonight.

The dinner, to be held at the Milwaukee Arena, is expected to attract 800 persons at $10 a plate.

Others at the speakers table with Johnson will include George (Birdie) Tebbetts, Cincinnati manager; Vernon (Lefty) Gomez, former New York Yankee pitcher, and Lou Perini and John Quinn, president and general manager, respectively, of the Braves.

Cards Play 56 Home Night Games In '55

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 25 (AP) —The St. Louis Cardinals will play an all-time record of 56 night games at Busch Stadium next season, general manager Dick Meyers announced today.

Thirteen of the 21 day games will be on Sundays, including a double-header with the Chicago Cubs April 17. The Cards will play only one other double-header all season here, that against the Cubs on Memorial Day, May 30.

The Cards first home game will be April 14 against Milwaukee.

The former night game record was set in 1952. That year 55 were scheduled, but postponements cut the total to 53.

Ft. Worth Shortstop Dies At Age Of 24

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 24 (AP) — Mike Korecheck, 24-year-old shortstop for the Ft. Worth (Tex.) Cats, died today at a veterans administration hospital where he had been under treatment for a kidney ailment.

Korecheck, whose home is in Nemacolin, Pa., was on the roster of the Montreal team of the Brooklyn Dodgers farm system when the 1954 season ended. He was expected to return to Ft. Worth for the 1955 season however.

Dave Kerr, former goalie of the New York Rangers, now operates a restaurant in Windsor, Ontario.

Difficult To Pick Favorite In Salad Bowl Game Jan. 1

PHOENIX, Ariz., Dec. 25 (AP)—Odds-makers are cautiously biding their time before picking either the skyline or Border Conference all-stars to win the 1955 Salad Bowl football game Jan. 1.

They face not only the difficulties involved in picking the winner of any all star game, but are without precedent for this year's Salad Bowl innovation of a regional all star contest.

If you look back to the regular season, you might lean to the border Conference which won four of the five games against skyline teams.

But the bowl game, scheduled to begin at 2 A. M. CST, before an estimated 18,000 fans, features only seniors—and juniors, sophomores and freshmen counted heavily in the regular season performances of Border teams.

Seven seniors made the Associated Press all Skyline team while only three were on the All Border club.

The Skyline team will feature the play of guards Joe De Luca of Montana and Carl Ebert of Utah State, center Harold Fairly of Denver and halfbacks Dick Imer of Montana and Fred Mahaffey of Denver.

The All Border players to see action are tackle Buddy Lewis of Arizona, end Claude Harland of Texas Tech and halfback Rick Spinks of Texas Tech.

Comparison of the coaching staffs shows little difference. Dewitt Weaver of Texas Tech, aided by Warren Woodson of Arizona and Murray Evans of Hardin-Simmons, will coach the Border team. John Roning of Utah State, along with Phil Dickens of Wyoming and Bob Titchenal of New Mexico will coach the Skyline club.

The teams arrive here tomorrow.

The bowl game is sponsored by Arizona Kiwanis Clubs to raise money to help handicapped children throughout the state. Although this is the first all-star game, it is the eighth of the series. The previous seven have produced more than $90,000 for helping handicapped children.

West Virginia U. Slates Ten Grid Games For 1955

MORGANTOWN, W. Va., Dec. 25—(AP)—West Virginia University announced today a 10-game football schedule for 1955, including five home games and contests with four new opponents.

The Mountaineers, ranked 12th in the nation in 1954, have added to their schedule this year the University of Richmond, Wake Forest, Marquette and Syracuse.

The complete schedule was released by Robert N. (Red) Brown, WVU athletic director.

Richmond, George Washington, William and Mary and VMI are the Southern Conference opponents for the Mountaineers who will go after their third straight conference crown.

The 1955 schedule, with home games marked (X):

Sept. 24—Richmond (X).

Oct. 1—Wake Forest (X); 8—VMI, site to be determined; 15—William and Mary (X); 22—Penn State (X); 29—at Marquette.

Nov. 4—At George Washington (night); 12—at Pitt; 19—Syracuse (X); 26—at North Carolina State.

2 Banded Ducks Shot By Local Marksman

A pair of U. S. Wildlife Survey Banded ducks were bagged by a local nimrod during the past week.

Johnny Elmendorf bagged a mallard drake, band number 567-71063 while shooting at Black Bayou on Dec. 22; and shot another, band number 4978-7398, a mallard hen, at the same location on Christmas Day.

No Wrestling At Kallio's Tuesday

There will be no wrestling at Gus Kallio's Arena until further notice, according to promoter Kallio, who is slowly recuperatint from two major operations, performed the same day at a local clinic.

Ouachita Cagers Play Home Tilts Tues., Wed.

Coach Herb Holiman's Ouachita Parish High School basketball five swings back into action this week in games with the Ogden High quintet Tuesday night; and Baskin High Wednesday night; both at the Ouachita gymnasium.

Both varsity tilts are scheduled for 8 o'clock, and each will be preceded by a "B" tussle between the competing schools.

Ogden High has a very strong cage team this season, and won over Ouachita in the Baskin tournament after two overtime periods in a semi-final tilt.

The game Tuesday night should be an encore of the thrilling battle at Baskin.

If the Lions are victorious, they will be defending a three-game, undefeated record on their home court when they take the floor against the Baskin quint Wednesday.

In previous appearances at the Bry St. gym, Ouachita has defeated LaSalle and Chatham.

Net Tournament Tuesday Begins Sugar Bowl Week

By ED TUNSTALL

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 25 (AP)—Navy's nimble Midshipmen and Mississippi's hell-for-leather Rebels open final preparations Monday for the Sugar Bowl football game, which climaxes a week-long sports carnival.

The last-minute practice by the colorful football principals usher in a week of boxing, tennis, basketball, track and sailing in the land of Mardi Gras.

First event on the program is the opening round of the tennis tournament Tuesday, with the boxing matches, pitting Louisiana State against Maryland, slated for Tuesday night.

The two-night basketball tournament opens Wednesday with defending champion Holy Cross meeting Bradley and Notre Dame taking on Loyola of New Orleans.

Wes Santee, the flying miler from Kansas, will make another bid for the four-minute mile Friday, going against a picked field of European and collegiate milers.

The Sugar Bowl regatta on Lake Pontchartrain stretches from Friday through Sunday and the Navy-Mississippi game holding the spotlight Saturday.

Both football teams arrive Monday and workout sessions will open Tuesday. Navy will hold its drills at the Tulane University, whose practice field is located in the shadows of its Mammoth stadium where Saturday's game will be played.

Mississippi will again drill at Biloxi, Miss., where the Rebels prepped for their date with Georgia Tech in the Sugar Bowl in 1953.

The Sugar Bowl's basketball tournament was given a shot in the arm Wednesday when Loyola dumped third ranking Illinois and added considerable prestige and luster to its season record. Only Holy Cross has lived up to preseason expectations with Notre Dame and Bradley finding the early season rough going.

The Sugar Bowl mile is labelled the "Internatioal Mile" because of the foreign entries competing against Santee, and is attracting considerable attention since Santee will again attempt to break the four-minute barrier.

Santee set a new Sugar Bowl mark with a 4:04.2 effort last year, despite a track slowed after a day of rain. With more favorable conditions, Santee may become the first American to join England's Roger Bannister and Australia's John Landy in track's charmed circle.

Tom Brown Jr. of San Francisco is expected to return to defend his Sugar Bowl tennis crown. Brown, ranked sixth in the yet unapproved national tennis ranks, may face stiff opposition from Ed Moylan of Trenton, N. J., ranked seventh, and eighth-ranked Bernard Bartzen of San Angelo, Tex., who are expected to bid for the tournament's singles title.

Gator Bowl May Show Best Game In Auburn Baylor

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Dec. 25 —UP— The Gator Bowl, smallest of the big - time football bowl games, may turn up with one of the most explosive games in the nation next Friday — all because of a game played 364 days before.

Auburn of the Southeastern Conference and Baylor of the Southwest Conference clash in the Gator Bowl Ddec. 31. Auburn says flatly that it has to win.

Last Jan. 1, Auburn Coach Ralph (Shug) Jordan brought his Tigers to the Gator Bowl with their first bowl bid in 15 years. Texas Tech humiliated them 35-13, and since then the Tigers have been burning to show the world that it was all a mistake.

Jordan was elated to get another chance, and his team was unanimous in asking for the most powerful opposition available. They got it in Baylor.

"We're coming to Jacksonville to win a football game and for nothing else," said Auburn Athletic Director Jeff Beard. "We won't come until the last minute and we'll do all our celebrating after we win."

Both teams started shakily but ended up with 7-3 regular season records. Auburn finished fast with six straight wins, including the honors of being the only team to defeat the University of Miami, after Jordan scrapped his famous "X" and "Y" system of play when it cost him three early season losses.

Coach George Sauer's Baylor Bears dropped their three by six points or less, including a 19-13 defeat by that same Miami team.

Most Southeastern Conference coaches now rate Auburn as the best in the league, and five Auburn starters were good enough to place on the first three all-conference teams selected by United Press. In addition, end Jim Pyburn was voted the player of the year in the conference.

Lincoln Inks Pirate Working Agreement

LINCOLN, Neb., Dec. 25 (AP)—The Lincoln Chiefs of the Class A Western League have entered into a full working agreement with the Pittsburgh Pirates for the 1955 season, A. Q. Schimmel, president of the Lincoln Baseball Club, announced tonight.

The Pirates had a working agreement with Denver in the Western League last season. But Denver, along with Omaha, moved into the American Association, leaving six teams in the Western League. Lincoln has operated independently the past two seasons.

U. S. INVITED

LONDON, Dec. 25 (AP)—Twenty-four nations, including the United States, have been invited to send representatives to the 49th world speed skating championships opening in Moscow Feb. 19, Moscow Radio said tonight. There will be four events—the 500, 1,500, 5,000 and 10,000-meter races.



HOLY CROSS ace, Tom Heinsohn, who will appear in the New Orleans' Sugar Bowl basketball tournament for the second year. Last year Long Tom, 6-foot-6-one-half center, led the Crusader quint to their tourney championship.

Precious Stone Cops Christmas 'Cap At Tropical

MIAMI, Fla., Dec. 25 (AP)—Harvey C. Fruehau's Precious Stone took the lead an eighth of a mile from home and hung on to win the $11,475 Christmas Handicap at Tropical Park today before 13,901 shievering fans.

Precious Stone, a factor all the way in the mile and a furlong feature, beat Blue Stone Farm's Scimitar by a nose in a tight finish. Mrs. S. Smith's French Bleu was third, two and a quarter lengths behind.

Precious Stone, favorite at 9 to 5, ran the distance in 1:50.4 over a fast track and paid $5.70, $3.80 and $3.40.

Scimitar paid $12.60 and $8.80 while French Bleu returned $6.40 to show.

The victory, Precious Stone's first since Aug. 4 at Washington Park, was worth $7,850 to Fruehauf. Detroit truck-trailer manufacturer.

Passembud, second choice in the wagering at 2-1, covered the six furlongs in 1:10.4 and scored easily after taking the lead from Fruehauf's Free Agent nearing the stretch.

Free Agent hung on for second and Mrs. C. L. Ostriker's Ocilrock, a Florida-bred, was third.

Passembud paid $6.20, $3.70 and $3.20. Free Agent returned $5 and $4.70 while Ocilrock was $7.50 to show.

Greentree Stable's Maharajah with Ted Atkinson up, the favorite at 9 to 5, made a belated bid and finished fourth in his first start since Oct. 5, at Belmont.

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One factor Coach Brows could be considering as the big day nears, is the talent the Lions have for coming up with a new threat right at playoff time.

Two years ago, Doak Walker had ridden the bench a good part of the season because of a leg injury. Then in the championship game, the Doaker ran 67 yards for his only touchdown of the season as the Lions won, 17-7.

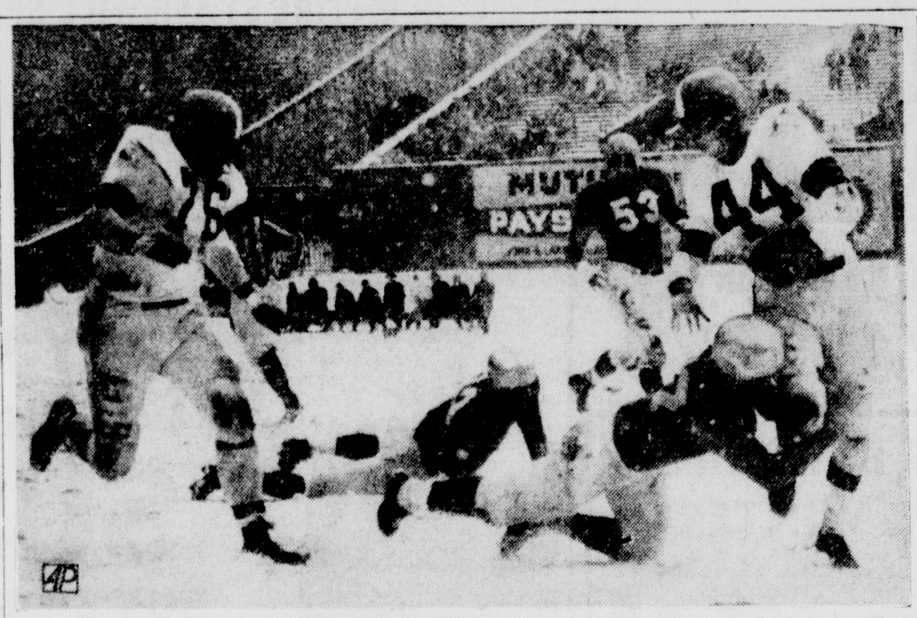
Last year it was Jim Doran who provided the rabbit punch in the clinch. Doran had been used primarily on defense through the season, but in the closing minutes of the championsip game coac Buddy Parker moved him in on offense. Doran proceeded to run by the chamuionship game coach Budgrab a 33-yard pass for a touchdown, his only one of the year. The Lions won that one, 17-16, thanks to Doran.

Then just last Sunday, Earl (Jug) Girard proved a surprise for the Clevelanders. Thought of here mostly as a hard-running halfback and a good punter, Girard picked off four passes, the last one for the winning touchdown.

Tomorrow's game will be carried on the Dumont Television Network.

Probable starting lineups:

Cleveland		Detroit
Brewster	LE	Dibble
Groza	LT	Creekmur
Gibron	LG	Sewell
Gatski	C	Milketa
Noll	RG	Martin
Sandusky	RT	Ane
Lavelli	RE	Girard
Graham	QB	Layne
Hanulak	LH	Walker
Reynolds	RH	Carpenter
Bassett	FB	Bowman



PREVIEW OF TODAY'S GAME? Doak Walker of the Detroit Lions brings down Chet Hanulak after the Cleveland Brown's halfback had made a five-yard gain in the second quarter of last Sunday's game at Cleveland. This afternoon, the same teams meet again for the pro championship. Cleveland's Lou Groza is at left, above, and in the background is Detroit's Torgy Torgeson.

Johnson To Be Main Guest Of Sports Scribes

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 25 (AP)—Arnold Johnson, president of the new Kansas City Athletics, will be a main guest at the second annual diamond dinner of the Milwaukee Baseball Writers' Chapter, it was announced tonight.

The dinner, to be held at the Milwaukee Arena, is expected to attract 800 persons at $10 a plate.

Others at the speakers table with Johnson will include George (Birdie) Tebbetts, Cincinnati manager; Vernon (Lefty) Gomez, former New York Yankee pitcher, and Lou Perini and John Quinn, president and general manager, respectively, of the Braves.

Cards Play 56 Home Night Games In '55

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 25 (AP) —The St. Louis Cardinals will play an all-time record of 56 night games at Busch Stadium next season, general manager Dick Meyers announced today.

Thirteen of the 21 day games will be on Sundays, including a double-header with the Chicago Cubs April 17. The Cards will play only one other double-header all season here, that against the Cubs on Memorial Day, May 30.

The Cards first home game will be April 14 against Milwaukee.

The former night game record was set in 1952. That year 55 were scheduled, but postponements cut the total to 53.

Big Ten Vs. NCAA Jan. 5th

Many Problems Facing Hunters In Management

The Associated Press

Man, the mighty hunter, is faced with many a perplexing new problem in era of modern game management.

For instance, a hunter checking in a deer taken during a Michigan season in which any deer was legal game, baffled biologist Ralph MacMullen. Recording standard statistics, MacMullen noted the six-inch antlers, then checked the animal's teeth—then checked them again.

Same result. The animal had fawn teeth, and deer don't grow antlers until their second year. So MacMullen took another look at the antlers. Sure enough, a close check showed an old pair of antlers had been sewed neatly on the fawn's head. The biologist turned to the mighty hunter.

"Aw, I couldn't bring in a fawn," said the M. H. "what would the kids think?"

While many of the leading deer hunting states are having their problems keeping the herds thinned out so there's enough food to grow big deer, Iowa was at the other end of the see-saw this year.

The state, whose rice farming acres have known no big game season between late Indian times and 1935, found their bucks grown to super size. One buck brought to a state checking staton weighed 268 pounds, another 245 pounds.

The fellow who shot at a sparrow and killed a goose has nothing on Pete Snider of Desoto, Mo. Missouri warden Bill Fowler reports that Snider, shooting standard No. 7 fine shot, let loose at a quail on the rise, killed a buck deer in a thicket beyond. Three of the tiny bird shot had penetrated the chest cavity, Fowler said he discovered on dressing the animal out before turning it over to a state institution.

Oh yes. Snider killed the quail, too.

Two for one, and on purpose at that, was the shooting achievement of Henry Laramie, New Hampshire fish and game department biologist. Laramie spotted a bobcat sleeping in the woods. Checking his prey with field glasses, he discovered there were two of them, side by side.

It took some manuevering, but Laramie finally got into a position where he could turn the trick—both cats with one shot.

Nowadays hunters spend more time keeping track of their hunting kills on some species than they do in making the kills themselves, all for the sake of research. But if Pennsylvania hunters had to list their pheasants in order—they don't—one Quaker State nimrod would have a special problem.

A deputy game protector reported to headquarters that he saw this hunter flush a cock pheasant and shoot it. As he picked it up and opened his coat to stash it away, a bird already in his coat dashed out and ran. He dropped his second bird—or was it his first?— and shot the first—or was it his second?— with another shot.

Ft. Worth Shortstop Dies At Age Of 24

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 24 (AP) — Mike Korecheck, 24-year-old shortstop for the Ft. Worth (Tex.) Cats, died today at a veterans administration hospital where he had been under treatment for a kidney ailment.

Korecheck, whose home is in Nemacolin, Pa., was on the roster of the Montreal team of the Brooklyn Dodgers farm system when the 1954 season ended. He was expected to return to Ft. Worth for the 1955 season however.

Dave Kerr, former goalie of the New York Rangers, now operates a restaurant in Windsor, Ontario.

By HUGH FULLERTON JR.

NEW YORK, Dec. 25 (AP)—When the National Collegiate Athletic Association holds its annual convention here Jan. 5-7, there's a hassle scheduled that has been characterized as "more likely to destroy the NCAA than anything since the sanity code."

This is expected to arise from the Big Ten's loudly-voiced demand for a program of regional television of football games, instead of the one national game a week restriction that has been in effect the past four seasons.

It may never come to an open battle. NCAA leaders, still tender from the sanity code struggle a few years ago, will do their best to prevent a fight that could lead to a break-up. And there are strong indications that they'll be able to maneuver a quiet settlement.

But there's bound to be enough furore that many fans will be asking: "what is the NCAA? What right does it have to dictate to the Big Ten on television or to investigate Oklahoman's athletic policies or to tell college teams they can't go to certain bowl games? And, for that matter, what difference would it make if the NCAA does crack up?"

The answer is deceptively simple. The NCAA is just what its name indicates, an association of colleges concerned with athletics. It has only the powers granted to it by the colleges. They were the ones who voted the sanity code in and out and who gave the NCAA control over football television. It's in the operations that the NCAA can become exceedingly complex.

Originally a rules-making "educational body with neither legislative nor executive functions," the NCAA has grown into a sort of federal government of college athletics. To break it up would be to undo most of the work accomplished by the colleges in joint action over nearly 50 years and to leave the schools and conferences to deal individually with such touchy common problems as television.

This governing body, whose membership now includes 415 colleges, 18 allied conferences, 6 associate institutions and 11 affiliated associations of coaches, etc., grew out of a 1905 conference to decide whether football should be abolished.

The dicision was to "reform football" — a suggestion frequently repeated in the intervening years — and the appointment of a rules committee was the first step in the organization of the intercollegiate athletic association. The NCAA took its present name in 1910.

Until about 1920, the NCAA was primarily concerned with establishing uniform rules for various sports. Then, starting with the first NCAA track championships in 1921, it entered an era of tournaments. As early as 1916, the association resolved to petition some large foundation to survey intercollegiate athletics, but it wasn't until after World War II that it assumed legislative and executive powers.

That move, hailed as a great forward step, nearly led to a crackup as a strong minority found the strict principles of the sanity code unacceptable. It took some cagey maneuvering and backtracking to preserve the organization.

Now comes television and the big money involved to create another crisis. The Big Ten calls the 1954 type of program "entirely unacceptable." The struggle may never reach the convention floor, as the sanity code did. The outcome likely will depend on preconvention "politicking" —and the NCAA has some politicians who could show Tammany Hall a few tricks.

One simple move to avert an open scrap already has been made. Instead of waiting for the convention, a report by the TV committee listing five proposals for 1955 has been sent to the member colleges. They'll be asked to list their preferences in a "straw ballot" for the guidance of the incoming committee. There won't be a mandate to follow any one plan unless the dissatisfied minority can force some such action.

That may be just a move to keep the convention from bogging down in fruitless debate, but it shows how the leaders can control the democratic processes of the association. And the NCAA is a typical democratic body.

Basically sound and sensible, it often is unpredictable and susceptible to manipulation by its leaders. It is addicted to secrecy in certain matters and to the use of a sort of professorial gobbledegook that mystifies the public. One of the principal duties of executive secretary Walter Byers is translating NCAA language and decisions into words newspaper men can understand.

Because of the scattered membership and rather complex organization, the NCAA officers and council can exercise influence far beyond their stated powers. But the sanity code fuss showed there are limits to what they can do before being brought up short by the members. In the long run, the majority rules—and the majority usually means the large number of small colleges which have little to do with big-time athletics.

Between conventions, the 18-man NCAA council makes and directs policies and generally runs the show. Various committees do the detail work.

Because football television and football tickets involve huge sums of money, the television committee probably has the biggest current job. Other important ones are the executive committee; the infractions committee, which is the council's investigation group in dealing with discipline, and the extra events committee, which deals with bowl games.

The TV committee has to work out a control plan each year and then, after the colleges have approved it, handle all the details of a $4,000,000 package, including selection of a network and approving sponsors, administering the program and answering a firm "no" to demands for changes or exceptions.

Contrary to a rather common belief, the NCAA itself doesn't get any big share of the $4,000,000 the sponsors put up. It merely grants the networks and sponsors the right to negotiate with the participating colleges. An assessment is levied to pay the committee's expenses and a good part of that has been returned to the colleges each year. The NCAA'S biggest source of income is the comparatively new basketball tournament.

Likewise the committee has no clearly defined powers to compel colleges to follow its plan. That comes under the constitutional pledge to adhere to the association's legislation. The big threat to schools that might get out of line is that the others won't play them —in any sport, although suspension or termination of membership are possible penalties.

That worked out in a curious way in 1951, when a vote to suspend seven sanity code violators failed to muster the necessary two-thirds majority. The officers ruled that since a majority had favored the motion, the "sinful seven" were "not in good standing" and hence ineligible for NCAA competitions. The same gimmick quickly brought Penn into line when that school threatened to ignore the TV restrictions.

Another indication of the council's influence came when it proposed outlawing two-platoon football. Rules committee members said it couldn't be done and only 66 of about 300 delegates voted on the curiously-worded resolution, introduced at the fag end of the convention. But the rules committee, taking it as an order, quickly reversed its stand.

Although the NCAA seldom gets much publicity except when it is criticised, it has initiated a lot of constructive moves in recent years. It studied the bowl games, decided some weren't giving the colleges a good enough break and ruled out those which wouldn't comply with the standards it established. The NCAA also made studies of playing and practice sessions, leading to the limits adopted last year.

It used its influence to bring about the elimination of federal tax on college sports admissions, a great help to financially embarrassed schools. It set up a group insurance plan which now covers some 37,000 athletes. It is constantly seeking ways to eliminate football injuries.

At the same time, the NCAA manages to run championship meets in 13 sports, help various groups interested in promoting intercollegiate sport, take a big part in the Olympic and Pan American games, publish nine sports guides and perform various other services.

Difficult To Pick Favorite In Salad Bowl Game Jan. 1

PHOENIX, Ariz., Dec. 25 (AP)—Odds-makers are cautiously biding their time before picking either the skyline or Border Conference all-stars to win the 1955 Salad Bowl football game Jan. 1.

They face not only the difficulties involved in picking the winner of any all star game, but are without precedent for this year's Salad Bowl innovation of a regional all star contest.

If you look back to the regular season, you might lean to the border Conference which won four of the five games against skyline teams.

But the bowl game, scheduled to begin at 2 A. M. CST, before an estimated 18,000 fans, features only seniors—and juniors, sophomores and freshmen counted heavily in the regular season performances of Border teams.

Seven seniors made the Associated Press all Skyline team while only three were on the All Border club.

The Skyline team will feature the play of guards Joe De Luca of Montana and Carl Ebert of Utah State, center Harold Fairly of Denver and halfbacks Dick Imer of Montana and Fred Mahaffey of Denver.

The All Border players to see action are tackle Buddy Lewis of Arizona, end Claude Harland of Texas Tech and halfback Rick Spinks of Texas Tech.

Comparison of the coaching staffs shows little difference. Dewitt Weaver of Texas Tech, aided by Warren Woodson of Arizona and Murray Evans of Hardin-Simmons, will coach the Border team. John Roning of Utah State, along with Phil Dickens of Wyoming and Bob Titchenal of New Mexico will coach the Skyline club.

The teams arrive here tomorrow.

The bowl game is sponsored by Arizona Kiwanis Clubs to raise money to help handicapped children throughout the state. Although this is the first all-star game, it is the eighth of the series. The previous seven have produced more than $90,000 for helping handicapped children.

West Virginia U. Slates Ten Grid Games For 1955

MORGANTOWN, W. Va., Dec. 25—(AP)—West Virginia University announced today a 10-game football schedule for 1955, including five home games and contests with four new opponents.

The Mountaineers, ranked 12th in the nation in 1954, have added to their schedule this year the University of Richmond, Wake Forest, Marquette and Syracuse.

The complete schedule was released by Robert N. (Red) Brown, WVU athletic director.

Richmond, George Washington, William and Mary and VMI are the Southern Conference opponents for the Mountaineers who will go after their third straight conference crown.

The 1955 schedule, with home games marked (X):

Sept. 24—Richmond (X).

Oct. 1—Wake Forest (X); 8—VMI, site to be determined; 15—William and Mary (X); 22—Penn State (X); 29—at Marquette.

Nov. 4—At George Washington (night); 12—at Pitt; 19—Syracuse (X); 26—at North Carolina State.

Ouachita Cagers Play Home Tilts Tues., Wed.

Coach Herb Holiman's Ouachita Parish High School basketball five swings back into action this week in games with the Ogden High quintet Tuesday night; and Baskin High Wednesday night; both at the Ouachita gymnasium.

Both varsity tilts are scheduled for 8 o'clock, and each will be preceded by a "B" tussle between the competing schools.

Ogden High has a very strong cage team this season, and won over Ouachita in the Baskin tournament after two overtime periods in a semi-final tilt.

The game Tuesday night should be an encore of the thrilling battle at Baskin.

If the Lions are victorious, they will be defending a three-game, undefeated record on their home court when they take the floor against the Baskin quint Wednesday.

In previous appearances at the Bry St. gym, Ouachita has defeated LaSalle and Chatham.

Net Tournament Tuesday Begins Sugar Bowl Week

By ED TUNSTALL

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 25 (AP)—Navy's nimble Midshipmen and Mississippi's hell-for-leather Rebels open final preparations Monday for the Sugar Bowl football game, which climaxes a week-long sports carnival.

The last-minute practice by the colorful football principals usher in a week of boxing, tennis, basketball, track and sailing in the land of Mardi Gras.

First event on the program is the opening round of the tennis tournament Tuesday, with the boxing matches, pitting Louisiana State against Maryland, slated for Tuesday night.

The two-night basketball tournament opens Wednesday with defending champion Holy Cross meeting Bradley and Notre Dame taking on Loyola of New Orleans.

Wes Santee, the flying miler from Kansas, will make another bid for the four-minute mile Friday, going against a picked field of European and collegiate milers.

The Sugar Bowl regatta on Lake Pontchartrain stretches from Friday through Sunday and the Navy-Mississippi game holding the spotlight Saturday.

Both football teams arrive Monday and workout sessions will open Tuesday. Navy will hold its drills at the Tulane University, whose practice field is located in the shadows of its Mammoth stadium where Saturday's game will be played.

Mississippi will again drill at Biloxi, Miss., where the Rebels prepped for their date with Georgia Tech in the Sugar Bowl in 1953.

The Sugar Bowl's basketball tournament was given a shot in the arm Wednesday when Loyola dumped third ranking Illinois and added considerable prestige and luster to its season record. Only Holy Cross has lived up to preseason expectations with Notre Dame and Bradley finding the early season rough going.

The Sugar Bowl mile is labelled the "Internatioal Mile" because of the foreign entries competing against Santee, and is attracting considerable attention since Santee will again attempt to break the four-minute barrier.

Santee set a new Sugar Bowl mark with a 4:04.2 effort last year, despite a track slowed after a day of rain. With more favorable conditions, Santee may become the first American to join England's Roger Bannister and Australia's John Landy in track's charmed circle.

Tom Brown Jr. of San Francisco is expected to return to defend his Sugar Bowl tennis crown. Brown, ranked sixth in the yet unapproved national tennis ranks, may face stiff opposition from Ed Moylan of Trenton, N. J., ranked seventh, and eighth-ranked Bernard Bartzen of San Angelo, Tex., who are expected to bid for the tournament's singles title.

2 Banded Ducks Shot By Local Marksman

A pair of U. S. Wildlife Survey Banded ducks were bagged by a local nimrod during the past week.

Johnny Elmendorf bagged a mallard drake, band number 567-71063 while shooting at Black Bayou on Dec. 22; and shot another, band number 4978-7398, a mallard hen, at the same location on Christmas Day.

No Wrestling At Kallio's Tuesday

There will be no wrestling at Gus Kallio's Arena until further notice, according to promoter Kallio, who is slowly recuperatint from two major operations, performed the same day at a local clinic.

Gator Bowl May Show Best Game In Auburn Baylor

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Dec. 25 —UP— The Gator Bowl, smallest of the big - time football bowl games, may turn up with one of the most explosive games in the nation next Friday — all because of a game played 364 days before.

Auburn of the Southeastern Conference and Baylor of the Southwest Conference clash in the Gator Bowl Ddec. 31. Auburn says flatly that it has to win.

Last Jan. 1, Auburn Coach Ralph (Shug) Jordan brought his Tigers to the Gator Bowl with their first bowl bid in 15 years. Texas Tech humiliated them 35-13, and since then the Tigers have been burning to show the world that it was all a mistake.

Jordan was elated to get another chance, and his team was unanimous in asking for the most powerful opposition available. They got it in Baylor.

"We're coming to Jacksonville to win a football game and for nothing else," said Auburn Athletic Director Jeff Beard. "We won't come until the last minute and we'll do all our celebrating after we win."

Both teams started shakily but ended up with 7-3 regular season records. Auburn finished fast with six straight wins, including the honors of being the only team to defeat the University of Miami, after Jordan scrapped his famous "X" and "Y" system of play when it cost him three early season losses.

Coach George Sauer's Baylor Bears dropped their three by six points or less, including a 19-13 defeat by that same Miami team.

Most Southeastern Conference coaches now rate Auburn as the best in the league, and five Auburn starters were good enough to place on the first three all-conference teams selected by United Press. In addition, end Jim Pyburn was voted the player of the year in the conference.

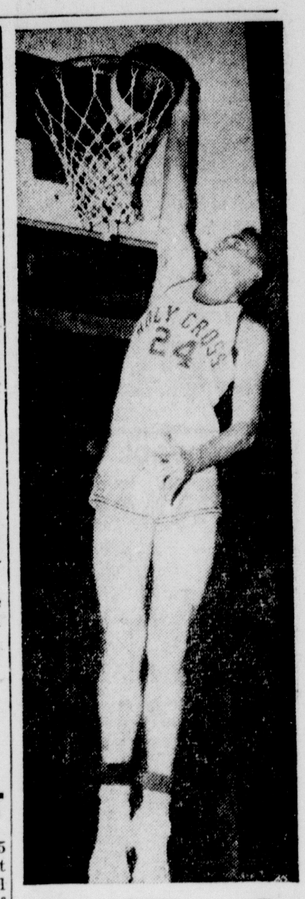
Lincoln Inks Pirate Working Agreement

LINCOLN, Neb., Dec. 25 (AP)—The Lincoln Chiefs of the Class A Western League have entered into a full working agreement with the Pittsburgh Pirates for the 1955 season, A. Q. Schimmel, president of the Lincoln Baseball Club, announced tonight.

The Pirates had a working agreement with Denver in the Western League last season. But Denver, along with Omaha, moved into the American Association, leaving six teams in the Western League. Lincoln has operated independently the past two seasons.

U. S. INVITED

LONDON, Dec. 25 (AP)—Twenty-four nations, including the United States, have been invited to send representatives to the 49th world speed skating championships opening in Moscow Feb. 19, Moscow Radio said tonight. There will be four events—the 500, 1,500, 5,000 and 10,000-meter races.



HOLY CROSS ace, Tom Heinsohn, who will appear in the New Orleans' Sugar Bowl basketball tournament for the second year. Last year Long Tom, 6-foot-6-one-half center, led the Crusader quint to their tourney championship.

Precious Stone Cops Christmas 'Cap At Tropical

MIAMI, Fla., Dec. 25 (AP)—Harvey C. Fruehau's Precious Stone took the lead an eighth of a mile from home and hung on to win the $11,475 Christmas Handicap at Tropical Park today before 13,901 shievering fans.

Precious Stone, a factor all the way in the mile and a furlong feature, beat Blue Stone Farm's Scimitar by a nose in a tight finish. Mrs. S. Smith's French Bleu was third, two and a quarter lengths behind.

Precious Stone, favorite at 9 to 5, ran the distance in 1:50.4 over a fast track and paid $5.70, $3.80 and $3.40.

Scimitar paid $12.60 and $8.80 while French Bleu returned $6.40 to show.

The victory, Precious Stone's first since Aug. 4 at Washington Park, was worth $7,850 to Fruehauf, Detroit truck-trailer manufacturer.

Passembud, second choice in the wagering at 2-1, covered the six furlongs in 1:10.4 and scored easily after taking the lead from Fruehauf's Free Agent nearing the stretch.

Free Agent hung on for second and Mrs. C. L. Ostriker's Oclirock, a Florida-bred, was third.

Passembud paid $6.20, $3.70 and $3.20. Free Agent returned $5 and $4.70 while Oclirock was $7.50 to show.

Greentree Stable's Maharajah with Ted Atkinson up, the favorite at 9 to 5, made a belated bid and finished fourth in his first start since Oct. 5, at Belmont.

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LSU's Al Doggett Passes Gray '11' To 4th Stanza TD

By RAY LACKEY

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Dec. 25 —UP—A pair of Missouri quarterbacks pierced a tough Rebel defense with show-down passes Saturday to lead the North to its first victory over the South in the Blue-Gray series since 1948, 14-7.

Tony Scardino and Victor Eaton, two split-T masters playing for their college coach, Don Faurot, led the Yankees on two long scoring drives that decided the game.

Eaton passed three yards for one Blue score and Scardino connected on a 37-yard toss to set up the other North touchdown.

Quarterback Al Doggett of Louisiana State passed the Rebels to a score in the fourth period, and he had the Southerners threatening again as the game ended. However, a superior North pass defense seemed to be the difference.

The crowd of 17,000 that turned out for the 17th playing of this annual intersectional all-star game saw the North score early in the second period on its first penetration into Rebel territory.

The drive nearly bogged down when Scardino was trapped for a 14-yard loss, but the scrappy Missouri quarterback tossed a 37-yard pass on the next play that end Charles Fairbanks of Michigan State took on the Rebel 13. Three plays later, halfback Bob Herndon plunged two yards for the score. Tackle Dick Shipley of Maryland converted.

Later in the third period, the Yankees began a drive that moved 87 yards. With Eaton's passes showing the way, the Blue team took 18 plays to make the touchdown.

It was a three yard Eaton pass, deflected by Doggett into the hands of Fred Baer of Michigan, that crossed the Gray goal. Shipley again converted.

With Doggett subbing for quarterback Jerry Johnson of Texas Tech, the Rebels finally began to move in the final period. The fired-up Gray team moved 89 yards in 12 plays for their only score.

Doggett threw a 29-yard pass to halfback Howie Wright of Virginia Tech for the touchdown. Doggett converted.

It was the North's first victory in five years in the intersectional clash and ran the series to 11 wins for the Gray and five for the Blue.

Guard Dale Meinert of Oklahoma A&M, who was a workhorse in the North line, was voted the outstanding lineman of the game, and halfback Corky Tharp of Alabama, who accounted for most of the South's rushing yardage, was selected as the top back.

Score by periods:

South	0	0	0	7	7
North	0	7	0	7	14

South scoring: Touchdown, Wright. Conversion, Doggett.

North scoring: Touchdowns, Herndon, Baer. Conversions, Shipley 2.

Don Knauth, co-captain of the Michigan State football team, is saluted as "Dr. Don" by his teammates. He had a straight "A" average in all his classes last term.

Next Week's Games

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

This week's major college basketball games include: Monday, Dec. 27—Arizona State at Seattle. Arizona at Tulsa. St. Michael's (Vt.) at Army. San Jose State at Beloit. Butler at Northwestern. New York University at Furman. Fresno State at College of the Pacific. Indiana at St. Louis. Stanford at Seton Hall.

Tuesday, Dec. 28—City College of New York at Scranton. Lawrence Tech at Depaul. San Jose State at Marquette. Utah State at Montana State.

Wednesday, Dec. 29—Beloit at Albion. Fairfield at Iowa. Loyola of Los Angeles at Whittier. New York University at Miami (Fla.). Utah State at Montana State. St. John's of Minn. at Montana. Princeton at Wisconsin. Stanford at Vanderbilt.

Thursday, Dec. 30 — Beloit at Hope. Bringham Young at Western Kentucky. Drake at Loyola of Chicago. Pace at Farleigh Dickinson. Gonzaga at Siena. Stanford at Iowa. Kent State at Wittenberg. St Louis at Kentucky. Carnegie Tech at Marshall. Penn State at Michigan State. Valparaiso at Michigan. New York University at Rollins. Oklahoma City at Ohio State. San Jose State at Washington of St. Louis.

Friday, Dec. 31 — Marietta at Fairleigh Dickinson. Gonzaga at Seton Hall. Louisville at Marquette. Princeton at Northwestern.

Saturday, Jan. 1 — St. Joseph's (Pa.) vs. Scranton and Temple vs. Kentucky at Convention Hall Philadelphia. Penn vs. Pitt and Villanova vs. North Carolina State at Palestra Philadelphia. Arizona at New Mexico. Tulsa at Arkansas. Beloit at Wheaton. Brigham Young at Murray State (Ky.). Oklahoma City at Cincinnati. Davidson at McCrary Eagles. Denver at Washington of St. Louis. Eastern Kentucky State at Toledo. Gonzaga at St. Peter's. Wisconsin at Illinois. Washington & Lee at Marshall. Mississippi at Vanderbilt.

Dec. 29-30 —Akron Invitational Tournament At Akron, Ohio.

Dec. 27-29-29—Southwest Conference Tournament at Houston, Tex.

Dec. 29-30—Wichita Tournament, at Wichita, Kan.

Dec. 28-29-30—Virginia Festival at Richmond, Va.

Dec. 29-30—Sugar Bowl at New Orleans.

Dec. 27-Jan. 1—Queen City Invitational Tournament at Buffalo, N. Y.

Dec. 27-28-29-30 — All-America Tournament at Owensboro, Ky.

Dec. 27-28-29-30 — Big Seven Tournament at Kansas City, Mo.

Dec. 28-29-30 — New England Tournament, at Storrs, Conn.

Dec. 27-28-29 — Dixie Classic at Raleigh, N. C.

Dec. 27-28 — Motor City Tournament at Detroit, Mich.

Dec. 27-29-31 — Holiday Festival at Madison Square Garden, New York.

Dec. 27-28-29-30 — Hofstra Tournament at Hempstead, New York.

Dec. 27-28 — Kentucky Invitational Tournament at Louisville.

Dec. 27-28 — Gator Bowl Invitational Tournament at Jacksonville, Fla.

Dec. 28-29 — N. D. Classic at Seattle, Wash.

Dec. 28-29-30 — North Central Tournament at Grand Forks, N. D.

Dec. 29-30-31 — Hawaii Invitational Tournament at Hawaii.

The most valuable player in the Sally League the past two years has worn a Jacksonville (Fla.) uniform. Hank Aaron, now of the Braves, won it in 1953. Buck Riddle got it in 1954.

Scoring Tradition Of Gator Contest Believed Secure

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Dec. 25 (AP)—The high scoring tradition of the Gator Bowl is safe for another year if Auburn and Baylor play their usual football games Dec. 31.

Proud as coaches Relph Jordan and George Sauer are of their defenses, they have such good offenses there doesn't seem to be any stopping them.

How can you throttle Baylor's Del Shofner, L. G. (long gone) Dupre and Bobby Hooper? or Auburn's Bobby Freeman, Joe Childress and Fob James?

Nobody has.

Baylor for instance, has scored in 50 straight games. The Bears have scored two or more touchdowns all but once in the past two years.

Auburn hasn't been blanked for 21 games and makes nearly as much a habit of multiple touchdowns. The Tigers were held to one T. D. only three times in two seasons.

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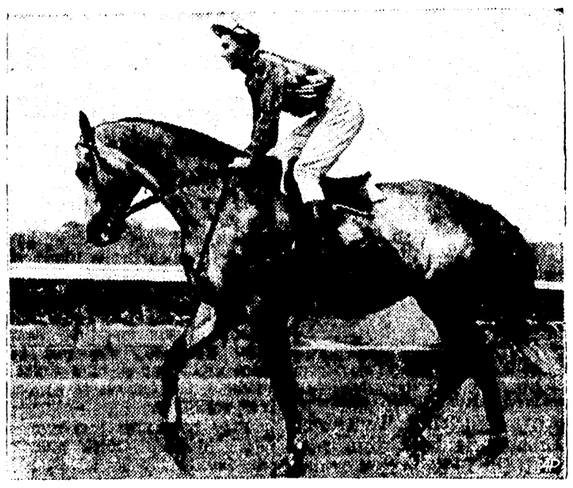
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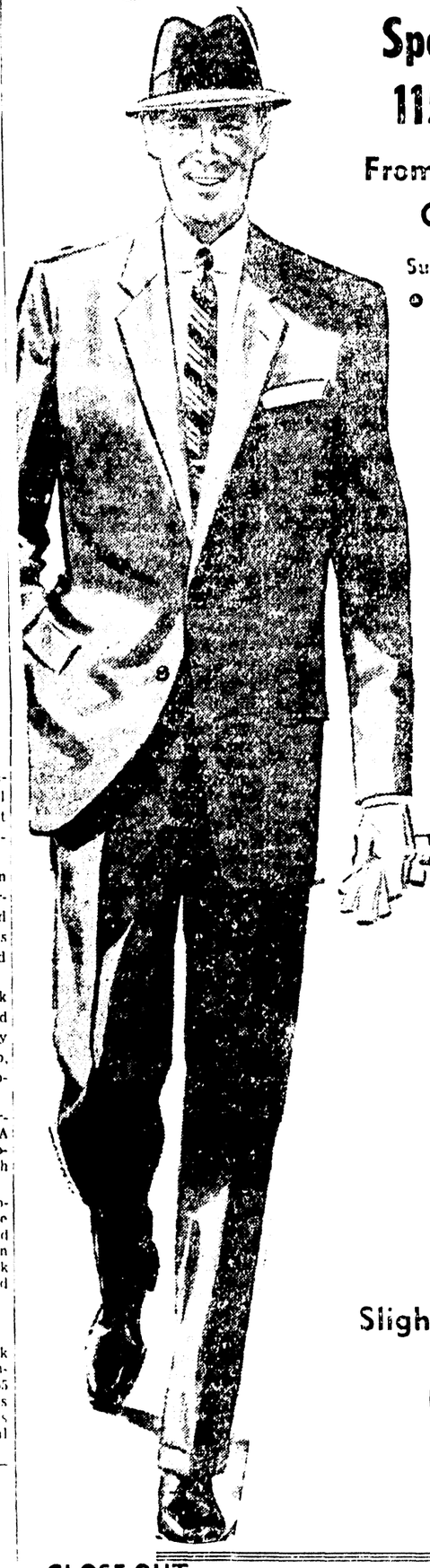
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By RAY LACKEY

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Dec. 25 —UP—A pair of Missouri quarterbacks pierced a tough Rebel defense with show-down passes Saturday to lead the North to its first victory over the South in the Blue-Gray series since 1948, 14-7.

Tony Scardino and Victor Eaton, two split-T masters playing for their college coach, Don Faurot, led the Yankees on two long scoring drives that decided the game.

Eaton passed three yards for one Blue score and Scardino connected on a 37-yard toss to set up the other North touchdown.

Quarterback Al Doggett of Louisiana State passed the Rebels to a score in the fourth period, and he had the Southerners threatening again as the game ended. However, a superior North pass defense seemed to be the difference.

The crowd of 17,000 that turned out for the 17th playing of this annual intersectional all-star game saw the North score early in the second period on its first penetration into Rebel territory.

The drive nearly bogged down when Scardino was trapped for a 14-yard loss, but the scrappy Missouri quarterback tossed a 37-yard pass on the next play that end Charles Fairbanks of Michigan State took on the Rebel 13. Three plays later, halfback Bob Herndon plunged two yards for the score. Tackle Dick Shipley of Maryland converted.

Later in the third period, the Yankees began a drive that moved 87 yards. With Eaton's passes showing the way, the Blue team took 18 plays to make the touchdown.

It was a three yard Eaton pass, deflected by Doggett into the hands of Fred Baer of Michigan, that crossed the Gray goal. Shipley again converted.

With Doggett subbing for quarterback Jerry Johnson of Texas Tech, the Rebels finally began to move in the final period. The fired-up Gray team moved 89 yards in 12 plays for their only score.

Doggett threw a 29-yard pass to halfback Howie Wright of Virginia Tech for the touchdown. Doggett converted.

It was the North's first victory in five years in the intersectional clash and ran the series to 11 wins for the Gray and five for the Blue.

Guard Dale Meinert of Oklahoma A&M, who was a workhorse in the North line, was voted the outstanding lineman of the game, and halfback Corky Tharp of Alabama, who accounted for most of the South's rushing yardage, was selected as the top back.

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Next Week's Games

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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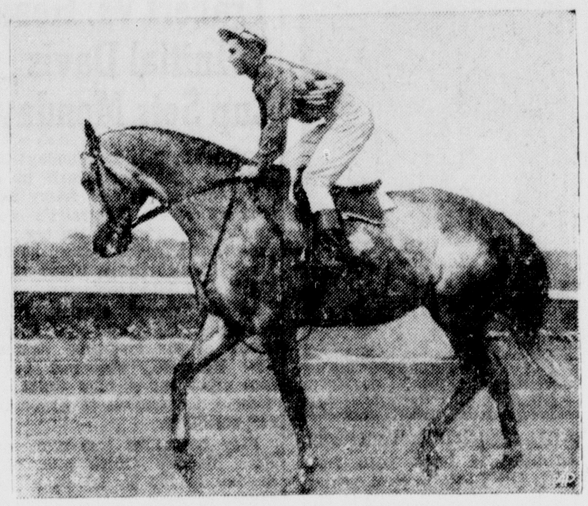
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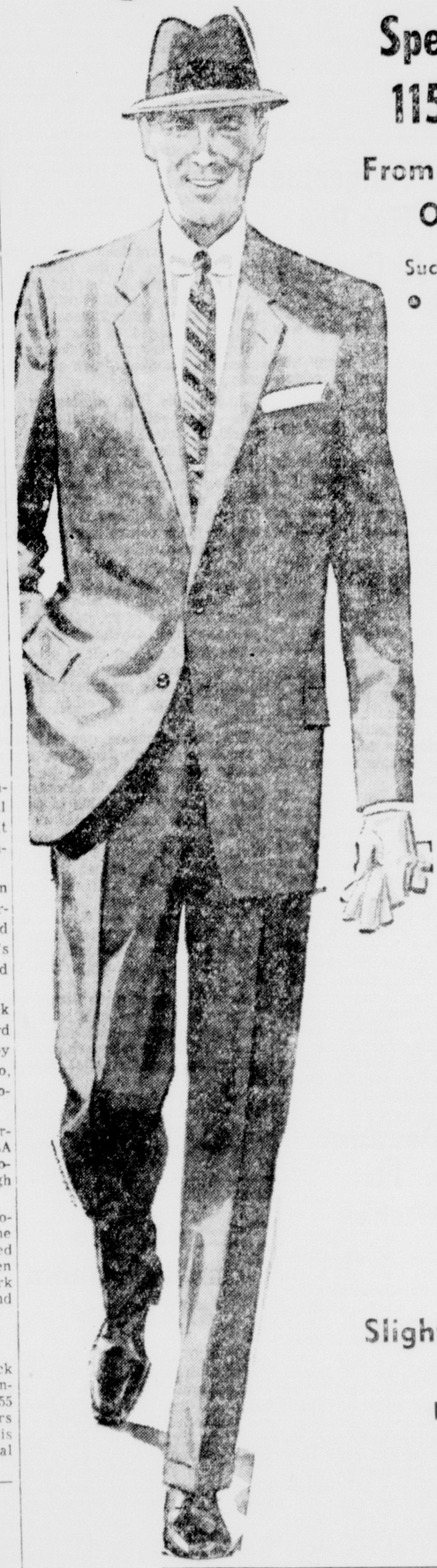
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By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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The Sugar Bowl, which has resisted the movement toward immutable bowl-conference hook-ups, hit the jackpot when it paired Navy and Mississippi for its post-season attraction. It won't decide any kind of championship, of course, but it will bring together the top Southeastern Conference team and the colorful Navy crew which attracted nation-wide attention by its thrilling victory over Army.

It's only the second time since bowl games were conceived nearly 40 years ago that a service academy team has appeared in one of them. Navy played Washington to a 14-14 tie in the Rose Bowl in 1924, setting a precedent for this year's "team called desire" to accept a post-season invitation.

Otherwise the year-end games shape up as a series of spectacles that will give nearly a half million spectators the benefits of fresh air, sunshine and wholesome entertainment, but won't prove a thing.

The champions of four major conferences, including the team voted no. 1 in the nation in the Associated Press ranking poll, will play in the games, not against each other.

Here's how the week-end games shape up:

Gator Bowl (Friday) at Jacksonville, Fla.— Auburn vs. Baylor.

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Sugar Bowl at New Orleans — Navy vs. Mississippi

Orange Bowl at Miami, Fla. Duke vs. Nebraska

Sun Bowl at El Paso, Tex. — Texas Western vs. Florida State.

Tangerine Bowl at Orlando, Fla. —Omaha University vs. Eastern Kentucky.

Salad Bowl at Phoenix, Ariz. — Skyline Conference vs. Border Conference. All-Stars.

East - West at San Francisco— Eastern All-Stars vs. Western All-Stars.

This shows several changes from last year's array. The Salad Bowl, which has entertained service teams for the past few years because of NCAA regulations, has come up with a variation of the All-Star theme. The Gator Bowl moved up a day trying to break into the radio-television lineup and the Shrine East-West game returns to Jan. 1 because it falls on Saturday. Two preliminary All-Star affairs, North-South at Miami and Blue-Gray at Montgomery, Ala., were scheduled for Christmas Day.

Two of the nation's top three teams, UCLA and Oklahoma, will be listed among the television watchers instead of the participants because of conference rules. A head-on meeting between Ohio State and UCLA, the first and second ranking teams, in the Rose Bowl was ruled out because the Pacific Coast and Big Ten conferences don't let the same team appear in a bowl two years in a row. A similar Big Seven rule barred Oklahoma from an Orange Bowl meeting with Duke.

Instead a three-time loser, Southern California, was chosen for its 12th bowl game while Nebraska, beaten four times, will represent the Big Seven.

While these pairings may outrage the promoters' artistic sensibilities, apparently they haven't hurt the gate receipts. All the tickets for these two bowl games and the other big ones were sold long ago. And, due to the magic of television, they'll probably have the biggest football audiences in history. The Rose, Sugar, Orange and Cotton Bowl and East-West games all will be televised on National networks.

There's ample precedent, too, for expecting some thrilling action and upsets in spite of the apparently lopsided pairings. The national champion team has played in a bowl game in three of the past four years and each time it was beaten. Ohio State and Omaha were the only bowl teams that survived the regular season without a loss. They could get it New Year's Day.

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Detroit Bucking For '60 Or '64 Olympics

By JOE FALLS

DETROIT, Dec. 25 (AP) — The city of Detroit, a sprawling, industrial giant, has the space, facilities and desire to host the Olympic games, says Fred Mattaei, the super-salesman behind the drive to bring the 1960 or 1964 games to Detroit.

Matthaei, an energetic, 62-year-old steel executive, was the key figure in Detroit gaining the nomination to lead this country's bid to land the Olympic games.

Official approvement of Detroit must be given by the entire membership of the U. S. Olympic Association, but this is considered a formality.

The International Olympic Committee (IOC) will meet in Paris June 14-17 to determine the site of the 1960 games. Rome is said to have the inside track, but Mattaei says, "We'll be in there hammering for Detroit."

"Detroit has everything needed to stage the Olympics," the civic-minded Matthaei says. "Why, we can run off all the events within a radius of 20 minutes of each other.

"The only thing lacking is a large, central stadium to hold track and field. But that is no problem. We have plans to build a stadium to seat more than 100,000. The drawings already have been completed."

Such a structure, Mattaei said, would cost six million dollars to build. He said the state of Michigan would appropriate a million dollars, the city of Detroit two million and the remaining three million would come from the sale of Olympic game bonds.

The stadium, which would be either state or city-owned, would be converted into a football field after the games are concluded, Matthaei said.

Mattaei detailed where the other Olympic events would be held.

"Pistol shooting and swimming would be held in Rouge Park," he explained. "There is a fine pistol range there and the swimming pool was big enough a few years ago to hold the AAU championships.

"Cycling would be held in the University of Detroit Stadium, with weight lifting and fencing in the Naval Armory," he continued. "Basketball and wrestling would be held in the State Fairgrounds Coliseum and boxing in Olympia Stadium.

"We have a fine rowing course on the Detroit River, plus a triangular course on Lake St. Clair for sailing. The horses for the races would be stabled at one of the race tracks, probably Hazel Park."

Matthaei explained that Briggs Stadium, home of the Detroit Tigers, would not be needed, thereby avoiding a conflict with baseball. He said miscellaneous events could be staged in the new University of Detroit fieldhouse, an imposing building which seats 11,000.

In winning the nomination for this automobile capital of the world, Matthaei pointed out to the U. S. selection committee that Detroit is engaged in a long-range housing program. He said one of these units could serve as an Olympic village, housing from 6,000 to 8,000 competitors, coaches and officials.

Matthaei said he has been given assurance by Detroit hotelmen that they could handle the tremendous influx of spectators which go with each Olympic spectacle.

The fact that Detroit is a strong sports loving town also helped Matthaei in his argument to gain the bid from four other U. S. cities.

The Detroit Tigers, for instance, have been the only last-place team in the history of baseball to draw a million in home paid attendance. It is virtually impossible to obtain a ticket for home games of the Detroit Lions professional football team. In nearby Ann Arbor, the University of Michigan annually ranks among the nation's leaders in collegiate football attendance.

In past years, all U. S. cities biding for the Olympics were allowed to make individual bids to the IOC. This, obviously, hurt the chances of all.

However, the United States will be represented by only one city this time—Detroit—and Fred Matthaei, the super salesman, will be making the greatest sales pitch of his life.

Don't bet he won't win. As for the winter games, Lake Placid, N. Y., the site of the 1932 winter Olympics, as well as resorts in Idaho and Colorado are all in the running. A final decision won't be made until after Jan. 8.

Omaha Tangerine Bowl 11 Has Pro Singer As Captain

OMAHA, Dec. 23 (AP)—There are many ways of working your way through college.

Yet it is doubtful if many students do it by singing in restaurants and night clubs.

Especially if the singer happens to be a 6 foot, two inch, 205 pound football player.

But that's the way captain Rudy Rotella of Omaha University's Tangerine Bowl team picks up some dollars to pay his way. At Omaha, you see, there are no athletic scholarships.

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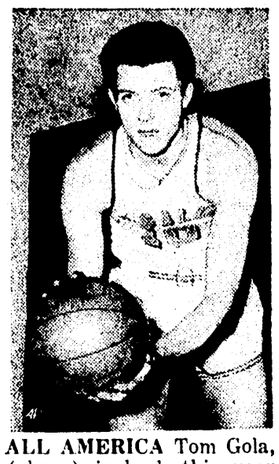
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But even Ameche will have plenty of trouble moving the ball against a South line anchored by such shining lights as guard Bud Brooks, Arkansas; tackle Rex Boggan, Mississippi; center Kurt Burris, Oklahoma; and end Frank McDonald, Miami (Fla.), all members of the All-America first team.

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The South offense will be directed by quarterbacks Jerry Barger, Duke, and Bobby Freeman, Auburn workhorse who led the Southeastern Conference in total yardage this season with 1,132 yards.

Others in the South backfield are Frank Eidom, Southern Methodist; Corky Tharp, Alabama; L. G. Dupre, Baylor; Allen Muirhead, Mississippi; and Charlie Madison, Georgia.

The rest of the South lineup includes such stalwarts as ends Bill Sennett, Georgia Tech, and Eddie Bravo, Tulane; tackle Darris McCord, Tennessee; and guards George Atkins, Auburn, and Frank Mincevich, South Carolina.

The massive North line boasts these men:

Ends—Den Dugger, Ohio State; Jim Garrity, Penn State; Dick Gaskell, George Washington; and Andy Nacrelli, Fordham.

Tackles—Dick Chorvich, Miami (Ohio); Don Glantz, Nebraska; Frank Morze, Boston College; and Joe Ray, UCLA.

Guards—Norm Amundsen, Wisconsin; Tom Bettis, Purdue; Henry Bullough, Michigan State; and Jan Smid, Illinois.

Centers — John Damore, Northwestern; and Bob Thornton, Ohio State.

Forty of the 48 members of the two squads will play either in one of the five major bowl games New Year's Day or in one of the three all-star games.

The players turn pro in the Senior Bowl. The winners are paid $500 and expenses and the losers $400 and expenses.

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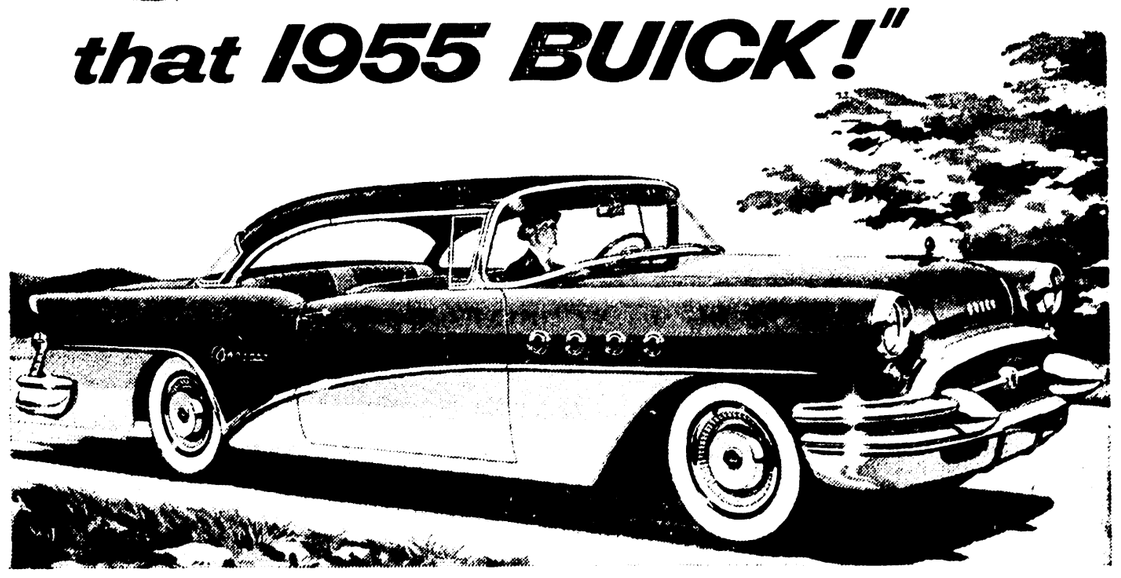
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The appearance of Navy's triumphant football team, and a sizeable delegation of midshipmen, in the Sugar Bowl next Saturday will lend a touch of color and prestige to an otherwise drab series of year-end bowl games that wind up the unpredictable 1954 football season.

The Sugar Bowl, which has resisted the movement toward immutable bowl-conference hook-ups, hit the jackpot when it paired Navy and Mississippi for its post-season attraction. It won't decide any kind of championship, of course, but it will bring together the top Southeastern Conference team and the colorful Navy crew which attracted nation-wide attention by its thrilling victory over Army.

It's only the second time since bowl games were conceived nearly 40 years ago that a service academy team has appeared in one of them. Navy played Washington to a 14-14 tie in the Rose Bowl in 1924, setting a precedent for this year's "team called desire" to accept a post-season invitation.

Otherwise the year-end games shape up as a series of spectacles that will give nearly a half million spectators the benefits of fresh air, sunshine and wholesome entertainment, but won't prove a thing.

The champions of four major conferences, including the team voted no. 1 in the nation in the Associated Press ranking poll, will play in the games, not against each other.

Here's how the week-end games shape up:

Gator Bowl (Friday) at Jacksonville, Fla.— Auburn vs. Baylor.

Rose Bowl at Pasadena, Calif. —Ohio State vs. Southern California.

Sugar Bowl at New Orleans — Navy vs. Mississippi

Orange Bowl at Miami, Fla. Duke vs. Nebraska

Sun Bowl at El Paso, Tex. — Texas Western vs. Florida State.

Tangerine Bowl at Orlando, Fla. —Omaha University vs. Eastern Kentucky.

Salad Bowl at Phoenix, Ariz. — Skyline Conference vs. Border Conference, All-Stars.

East - West at San Francisco— Eastern All-Stars vs. Western All-Stars.

This shows several changes from last year's array. The Salad Bowl, which has entertained service teams for the past few years because of NCAA regulations, has come up with a variation of the All-Star theme. The Gator Bowl moved up a day trying to break into the radio-television lineup and the Shrine East-West game returns to Jan. 1 because it falls on Saturday. Two preliminary All-Star affairs, North-South at Miami and Blue-Gray at Montgomery, Ala., were scheduled for Christmas Day.

Two of the nation's top three teams, UCLA and Oklahoma, will be listed among the television watchers instead of the participants because of conference rules. A head-on meeting between Ohio State and UCLA, the first and second ranking teams, in the Rose Bowl was ruled out because the Pacific Coast and Big Ten conferences don't let the same team appear in a bowl two years in a row. A similar Big Seven rule barred Oklahoma from an Orange Bowl meeting with Duke.

Instead a three-time loser, Southern California, was chosen for its 12th bowl game while Nebraska, beaten four times, will represent the Big Seven.

While these pairings may outrage the promoters' artistic sensibilities, apparently they haven't hurt the gate receipts. All the tickets for these two bowl games and the other big ones were sold long ago. And, due to the magic of television, they'll probably have the biggest football audiences in history. The Rose, Sugar, Orange and Cotton Bowl and East-West games all will be televised on National networks.

There's ample precedent, too, for expecting some tarilling action and upsets in spite of the apparently lopsided pairings. The national champion team has played in a bowl game in three of the past four years and each time it was beaten. Ohio State and Omaha were the only bowl teams that survived the regular season without a loss. They could get it New Year's Day.

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Such a structure, Mattaei said, would cost six million dollars to build. He said the state of Michigan would appropriate a million dollars, the city of Detroit two million and the remaining three million would come from the sale of Olympic game bonds.

The stadium, which would be either state or city-owned, would be converted into a football field after the games are concluded, Matthaei said.

Mattaei detailed where the other Olympic events would be held.

"Pistol shooting and swimming would be held in Rouge Park," he explained. "There is a fine pistol range there and the swimming pool was big enough a few years ago to hold the AAU championships.

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It was a hard one for the oddsmakers to pick, though, mainly because of the coaching wizardry of the North's Paul Brown and the presence in the Yankee lineup of one Alan (The Horse) Ameche, ranked as the greatest football player in the land during the past season.

The raters finally boiled it down to a slim, one-touchdown nod for the South.

Brown, coach of the Cleveland Pro Browns, has won each of the past three years. And each time his Yankee squad was ranked a slight underdog.

Ameche, Wisconsin's 210-pound All America fullback, wound up his collegiate career by setting a record of 3,212 yards in four years of rushing and was chosen for the Heisman Trophy as the outstanding player during the past season.

But even Ameche will have plenty of trouble moving the ball against a South line anchored by such shining lights as guard Bud Brooks, Arkansas; tackle Rex Boggan, Mississippi; center Kurt Burris, Oklahoma; and end Frank McDonald, Miami (Fla.), all members of the All-America first team.

And alongside that quartet are center Hal Easterwood, Mississippi State; tackles J. R. Smith, Baylor, and Sid Fournet, Louisiana State; and end Max Boydston, Oklahoma, named on the All-America second team, and guard Hamp Cook, Mississippi Southern, a little All-America choice.

Steve Owen, longtime pro coach who will direct the South, will have five of the finest collegiate linebackers ever seen on one field in Burris, Easterwood, center Jack Locklear of Auburn; and fullbacks Dick Bielski, Maryland; and Charles (Dinky) Evans, Mississippi State.

Ameche will have backfield help from back Bob McNamara, Minnesota, a second team All-America; quarterbacks Dave Leggett, Ohio State, and Florian Helinski, Indiana; backs Lindon Crow, Southern Californa; Ron Drzewiecki, Marquette; Corky Taylor, Kansas State; Dick Goist, Cincinnati; and fullbacks Max Burkett, Iowa State, and Dick Young, Chattanooga.

The South offense will be directed by quarterbacks Jerry Barger, Duke, and Bobby Freeman, Auburn workhorse who led the Southeastern Conference in total yardage this season with 1,132 yards.

Others in the South backfield are Frank Eidom, Southern Methodist; Corky Tharp, Alabama; L. G. Dupre, Baylor; Allen Muirhead, Mississippi; and Charlie Madison, Georgia.

The rest of the South lineup includes such stalwarts as ends Bill Sennett, Georgia Tech, and Eddie Bravo, Tulane; tackle Darris McCord, Tennessee; and guards George Atkins, Auburn, and Frank Mincevich, South Carolina.

The massive North line boasts these men:

Ends—Den Dugger, Ohio State; Jim Garrity, Penn State; Dick Gaskell, George Washington; and Andy Nacrelli, Fordham.

Tackles—Dick Chorvich, Miami (Ohio); Don Glantz, Nebraska; Frank Morze, Boston College; and Joe Ray, UCLA.

Guards—Norm Amundsen, Wisconsin; Tom Bettis, Purdue; Henry Bullough, Michigan State; and Jan Smid, Illinois.

Centers — John Damore, Northwestern; and Bob Thornton, Ohio State.

Forty of the 48 members of the two squads will play either in one of the five major bowl games New Year's Day or in one of the three all-star games.

The players turn pro in the Senior Bowl. The winners are paid $500 and expenses and the losers $400 and expenses.

The series stands at 3-2 for the North, with the South winning the first two games under Owen.

The game is expected to draw about 30,000 to the 36,000 capacity Ladd Stadium. Kickoff is at 1:45 p.m. (CST).

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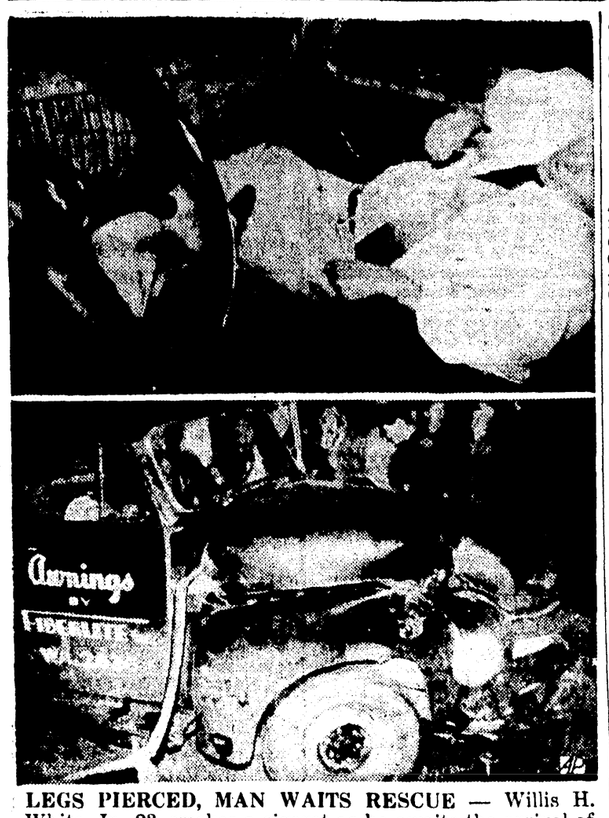
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LEGS PIERCED, MAN WAITS RESCUE — Willis H. White, Jr., 23, smokes a cigaret as he awaits the arrival of the fire department rescue squad to free him from a section of guard rail pipe that has pierced both his thighs. White, charged by police with speeding-accident, was driving on one of Atlanta, Georgia's new expressways when he skidded 315-feet, striking a guard rail. A section of the pipe (bottom photo) rammed through the side of the pickup truck spitting him. Firemen sawed off the pipe which was removed in the hospital. (AP Wirephoto)

Leaking Gas In Feed Store Cause Of Big Explosion

DENVER, Colo., Dec. 25—UP—A thundering explosion, felt three miles away, rocked a normally quiet Denver neighborhood this Christmas morning, injuring two persons and causing at least $35,000 damage.

The blast demolished the Valderde Feed Store and shattered windows in homes and businesses as far as four blocks away.

The feed store was stocked with farm equipment and grains which went up in a spectacular blaze following the blast, caused by leaking gas.

One of the injured, Donna Fabrezio, 17, was sleeping by a window in her family's upstairs apartment two doors away. She was cut by flying glass.

The other injured person, Mrs. James Coupland, 80, was asleep in her home a block away. Attendants at Denver General Hospital where the two were taken said the victims were in "fair" condition.

W. A. Willis, owner of the feed store, said damage to his building alone amounted to $35,000. Four nearby businesses were posted with a "dangerous" sign, pending an investigation by the police department. Fire officials said the blast shattered windows in the buildings, ripped off plaster and might have damaged foundations.

Ironically some 50 used cars on a lot just across the street, owned by Elwood Edwards of Denver, were not touched.

The explosion occurred at exactly 7:30 a. m.—the time the Fabrezio family had planned to rise and open their Christmas packages. Mr. Frank Frabezio, father of Donna, said the family's electric alarm started to go off when the explosion tore down nearby power lines.

Boy Allergic To Christmas Enjoys Holiday Season

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., Dec. 25—UP—Ten-year-old Scott Garrison, a youngster allergic to Christmas, didn't retch at the sight of Santa Claust his year, his parents reported proudly Saturday.

What's more young Scott was able to eat a wholesome Christmas dinner—a rare treat since he usually gets violently ill at the holiday season.

Scott is allergic to Christmas trees and most Christmas candy. He suffers an asthmatic condition if he happens to get close to an evergreen and Santa, if his suit has been stored, makes Scott nauseous. The boy is allergic to moth balls.

Cecil Garrison, Scott's father, said Santa visited the boy in a new suit this year, however, and Scott withstood the treat very nicely.

He was well enough Saturday to travel with his parents from Santa Fe, N. M., here to spend Christmas with his grandparents.

Scott was taken out of school early this month after an accidental brush with an evergreen made him ill.

The family then went into "hibernation" as it has done every holiday season of Scott's young life.

Mrs. Garrison said Friday that sympathetic persons from all over the country, who learned of Scott's plight through a United Press story, have "overwhelmed" her son with Christmas cards and "get-well" notes.

The youngster had recovered enough early this week that he was able to stomach a little beef broth, ginger ale and milk toast. And even the smell of other foods cooking didn't bother him too much.

Saturday, there was no tree and no candy in his grandparents' house, but otherwise Christmas was an exceptionally happy day for Scott. He was in shape for a full meal.

The family's only concern now is what will happen to the boy this Easter. He's allergic to eggs.

Installation Set By Delta Chapter

FERRIDAY, Dec. 25 (Special)—A joint installation will be held Monday night by the Delta Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, and the Ferriday Lodge No. 309, F. and A.M.

New OES officers are: Worthy Matron, Mrs. Gordon Wiggins; Worthy Patron, Nelson Summerell; Associate Matron, Mrs. J. W. Greathouse; Associate Patron, Gordon Wiggins; Conductress, Mrs. W. E. Person; Secretary, Mrs. Gladys Drane; Treasurer, Mrs. J. T. Jacobs, Sr.; Associate Conductress, Mrs. Melonie Dinger; Ada, Mrs. Pat Price; Ruth, Mrs. Louise Clanton; Esther, Mrs. Vina Pankey; Martha, Mrs. Mary Ann Crum; Electa, Mrs. W. M. Tennant; Chaplain, Mrs. D. L. Nelson; Marshall, Mrs. Maxine Summerrell; Organist, Mrs. S. R. Gray; Mrs. Minnie Alwood, Warden and Mrs. Essie Middleton, Sentinel.

Outgoing Worthy Matron is Mrs. Edith Falkenh. The new F and A.M. officers to be installed are: Worshipful Master, L. B. Taylor; Senior Warden, R. E. Jones; Junior Warden, C. D. Lowe; Treasurer, S. C. Hales; Secretary, P. H. Farmer; Senior Deacon, H. R. Smith; Junior Deacon, Ernest Crum; Chaplain, J. L. DePrato, Sr.; Senior Steward, T. H. Tucker; Junior Steward, W. W. Kelley; Master of Ceremonies, Cecil Long.

Soviets Declare Mendes-France Using Blackmail

MOSCOW, Dec. 25 —UP— The newspaper Izvestia said Saturday French Premier Pierre Mendes-France will spend the time until Monday's vote on German rearmament "blackmailing" National Assembly members who originally voted against it.

The newspaper said "flagrant pressure" continues to be exerted on French deputies from Washington and London.

It said the early Friday morning rejection of the main clause of the Paris and London agreements to rearm West Germany and set up a West European Union by the French National Assembly showed that the accords did not have French public support.

"This factually was admited by Mendes-France," the newspaper said. "Attempting to win over deputies of the National Assembly to vote for the Paris agreements he voiced demands of foreign powers—the United States and Britain—and preferred to keep silent about demands of the French people."

Stolen Antiques Are Returned On Christmas Eve

OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 25—UP — Mrs. Carl Glitsch, an antique dealer, told police three weeks ago that a marble statuette, lamps and candelabra worth $1,000 were stolen from her shop by a woman who posed as a customer.

Friday night Mrs. Glitsch was doing last minute Christmas chores. She told a friend, "all I want for Christmas is my antiques back."

At that moment the telephone rang. The caller, a woman with a husky voice, sounded as if she had been crying.

The caller told Mrs. Glitsch: "I'm the woman who stole your antiques. Maybe this sound silly and sentimental, but it is Christmas Eve. I haven't the heart to keep them any longer. If you will look on your front porch you will find your antiques."

Mrs. Glitsch looked and found them, neatly packaged.

She returned and asked the caller on the telephone:

"Who are you?"

The caller replied: "Perhaps someday I'll come back and see you and explain. Merry Christmas.

Girl United With Foster Parents

ATKINSON, Neb., Dec. 25—UP — A little German girl who flew across the Atlantic to rejoin her foster parents, slept late Saturday after her first visit from Santa Claus, American style.

Four-year-old Mary Jean Kenny arrived here early Saturday after flying to Omaha from Berlin and driving the remaining 211 miles here from Omaha with her foster parents, Sgt. and Mrs. Robert Kenny.

Sgt. Kenny had prepared the "real American Christmas" well in advance after borrowing enough money to pay the little girl's fare on the long Trans-Atlantic hop.

A tearful reunion was held at Municipal Airport in Omaha Friday night when the little girl arrived on a United Air Lines plane from Chicago, where Kenny had met her.

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By CLAY R. POLLAN

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5 Could	35 Let	65 With	
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7 Stick	37 Bad	67 And	
8 Deal	38 Plans	68 Ones	
9 With	39 Certain	69 Drop	
10 See	40 News	70 In	
11 Reached	41 Today	71 Smoothly	
12 To	42 But	72 For	
13 Those	43 In	73 You	
14 Your	44 You're	74 Reactions	
15 In	45 Lucky	75 No	
16 Don't	46 Easily	76 Can	
17 Secure	47 In	77 Stitches	
18 Make	48 Make	78 For	
19 Are	49 Money	79 Surprise	
20 Almost	50 Mistakes	80 Diet	
21 Ways	51 Matters	81 Cheerful	
22 Or	52 Sympathy	82 You	
23 Some	53 Work	83 Haste	
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25 Knitting	55 To	85 Be	
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Negro Jailed Here In Fatal Stabbing

Willie Reed, 116 DeSiard avenue, Monroe, was being held in the Ouachita Parish jail yesterday on a charge of murder in connection with the fatal stabbing of Fred Thompson, Monroe, Friday night. Police officials identified both Reed and Thompson as Negroes.

According to officers, about 8 p. m. Friday they were called to a Fourteenth street bar, where Thompson told them of having had a fight with a Negro identified only as Reed. The fight occurred at the intersection of Fourteenth and Congo streets.

Thompson, officers said, had suffered a dislocated elbow during the fracas and was apparently in great pain. The officers took him to Charity hospital, where he revealed that he had also received what appeared to be a slight wound on the left side of his chest.

At 11:30 p.m. hospital authorities notified police that complications had arisen, and that Thompson was in a critical condition. A short time later the injured man was reported to have died.

In the meantime officers had learned the full identity of Thompson's alleged assailant, and had taken Reed into custody. He was booked on a charge of murder and transferred to the parish jail.

Although Reed refused to make a statement concerning the assault, officers said he led them to the knife allegedly used in the murder.

Driver Swerves To Miss Fox And Man Loses Life

CHENOA, Ill. (AP)—A Chicago man swerved his car to miss a fox today and the car crashed into a ditch near Chenoa, killing one person and injuring three.

Mamie Robinson, about 70, of Chicago was killed.

The car's driver, Sylvester Wilson, 34, of Chicago, was taken to St. James Hospital in Pontiac with a severe neck injury.

Wilson's son, Warren, 6, suffered minor head injuries and Miss Albertine McCary of Chicago, suffered cuts and bruises.

Two of Wilson's children, Herman, 8, and Evelyn, 7, escaped without injury.

Construction Bids On Mill Channel Project Received

FERRIDAY, Dec. 25 (Special) —Apparent low bidder for construction of the Mill Bayou Channel improvement in Madison and Tensas parishes is A. J. Hanson Company of Pineville, La., according to Col. Thomas B. Simpson, district engineer of the Vicksburg, Miss., district, Corps of Engineers. The amount was given as $33,090.

The constuction consists of 190,000 cubic yards of channel clearing and snagging.

The work is in the Vidalia area of the Vicksburg district and will be under the supervision of Francis B. Geddes, area engineer at Vidalia.

The work will be commenced within 20 calendar days after the notice to proceed and shall be completed with in 120 calendar days after the date.

There were seven bidders on the contract, two from Memphis, two from Jackson, Miss., one from Monroe, and one from Rayville in addition to the Pineville firm.

Police Recover Car Stolen Here

Monroe police yesterday reported the recovery of one of two autos reported stolen here Friday night.

Officers said a 1954 Plymouth, belonging to Walter B. Barham, 605 Glenmar Street, a News-Star — World pressman, was found by state police about 3 a.m. Saturday seven miles south of Monroe on Highway 165. The car had been abandoned.

Barham said the vehicle was stolen from a North Second Street parking lot sometime between 7 and 11 p.m. Friday.

Police also said N. J. DeCorte, 3303 Gordon Avenue, had reported a 1947 Jeep station wagon stolen from the 400 block of DeSiard St. about 10:30 p.m. Friday.

The vehicle was reported to contain a large quantity of plumbing fixtures and tools.

It had not been recovered yet yesterday evening.

BREAKS ARM

VIDALIA, Dec. 25 (Special) Jimmy Deal, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Deal had a painful experience Thursday when he fell and broke his left arm. Unfortunately, young Jimmy is a southpaw, but at latest reports he is doing nicely and will be ready to resume classes at the Vidalia school in January.

Police Here Probe Theft Of Camera

Monroe police yesterday were investigating the theft of a Brownie Hawkeye camera, flash attachment and brown leather carrying case from an auto at a parking lot in the 100 block of North Fourth Street about 11:30 p.m. Friday.

The burglary was reported by D. C. Richardson, route four, West Monroe, owner of the vehicle.

Vidalia Newswoman Is Injured In Fall

VIDALIA, Dec. 25 (Special)—Miss Marie Beard of Vidalia, social editor of the Concordia Sentinel and correspondent for the Natchez, Miss., Democrat, fell Friday evening at her home in Vidalia and sustained a broken bone in her right hand.

Miss Beard, who has been writing social notes in Vidalia for the past 35 years, and who was at one time the only woman justice of the peace in the state of Louisiana, was entering her front door, missed a step and fell. She is getting along nicely at latest reports and will soon be able to resume her society correspondence, and in the meanwhile she has a substitute to write her notes for her papers.

Armed Services

M-Sgt. Edward R. Woodard, whose wife lives in Monroe, is home on re-assignment leave from Honshu, one of the major islands of Japan.

Woodard, chief clerk of transportation division, 229th Ordnace base depot, entered the army from Rapides Parish.

Killed On Curve

LEBANON, Ohio (AP) — Stephen Gibson, 26, of Austin, Ind., failed today to negotiate a curve north of here on Ohio 122 and was killed in the wreck of his car which later burned. Harold Treadway of Louisville, a passenger, was thrown clear and suffered minor injuries.

Robert Watson of Los Angeles bowled a perfect 300 game at the age of 70. He is the oldest in American Bowling Congress history to do it.

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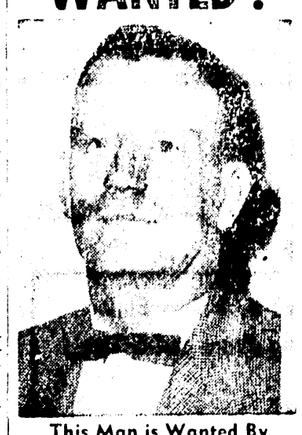
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LEGS PIERCED, MAN WAITS RESCUE — Willis H. White, Jr., 23, smokes a cigaret as he awaits the arrival of the fire department rescue squad to free him from a section of guard rail pipe that has pierced both his thighs. White, charged by police with speeding-accident, was driving on one of Atlanta, Georgia's new expressways when he skidded 315-feet, striking a guard rail. A section of the pipe (bottom photo) rammed through the side of the pickup truck spitting him. Firemen sawed off the pipe which was removed in the hospital. (AP Wirephoto)

Leaking Gas In Feed Store Cause Of Big Explosion

DENVER, Colo., Dec. 25—UP—A thundering explosion, felt three miles away, rocked a normally quiet Denver neighborhood this Christmas morning, injuring two persons and causing at least $35,000 damage.

The blast demolished the Valderde Feed Store and shattered windows in homes and businesses as far as four blocks away.

The feed store was stocked with farm equipment and grains which went up in a spectacular blaze following the blast, caused by leaking gas.

One of the injured, Donna Fabrezio, 17, was sleeping by a window in her family's upstairs apartment two doors away. She was cut by flying glass.

The other injured person, Mrs. James Coupland, 80, was asleep in her home a block away. Attendants at Denver General Hospital where the two were taken said the victims were in "fair" condition.

W. A. Willis, owner of the feed store, said damage to his building alone amounted to $35,000. Four nearby businesses were posted with a "dangerous" sign, pending an investigation by the police department. Fire officials said the blast shattered windows in the buildings, ripped off plaster and might have damaged foundations.

Ironically some 50 used cars on a lot just across the street, owned by Elwood Edwards of Denver, were not touched.

The explosion occurred at exactly 7:30 a. m.—the time the Fabrezio family had planned to rise and open their Christmas packages. Mr. Frank Frabezio, father of Donna, said the family's electric alarm started to go off when the explosion tore down nearby power lines.

STAR GAZER

By CLAY R. POLLAN

Your Daily Activity Guide According to the Stars.

To develop message for Sunday, read words corresponding to numbers of your Zodiac birth sign.

1 You	31 And	61 Run
2 Don't	32 Means	62 Away
3 You	33 Individuals	63 With
4 You	34 People's	64 Loved
5 Could	35 Let	65 With
6 Decisions	36 Expect	66 Judgment
7 Stick	37 Bad	67 And
8 Deal	38 Plans	68 Ones
9 With	39 Certain	69 Drop
10 See	40 News	70 In
11 Reached	41 Today	71 Smoothly
12 To	42 But	72 For
13 Those	43 In	73 You
14 Your	44 You're	74 Reactions
15 In	45 Lucky	75 No
16 Don't	46 Easily	76 Can
17 Secure	47 In	77 Stitches
18 Make	48 Make	78 For
19 Are	49 Money	79 Surprise
20 Almost	50 Mistakes	80 Diet
21 Ways	51 Matters	81 Cheerful
22 Or	52 Sympathy	82 You
23 Some	53 Work	83 Haste
24 Authority	54 Out	84 Future
25 Knitting	55 To	85 Be
26 Don't	56 Tempers	86 Altered
27 Change	57 This	87 Today
28 Attention	58 Be	88 Optimistic
29 From	59 Dealings	89 Gain
30 Key	60 Morning	90 Now

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Boy Allergic To Christmas Enjoys Holiday Season

ALBUQUERQUE, N. M., Dec. 25—UP—Ten-year-old Scott Garrison, a youngster allergic to Christmas, didn't retch at the sight of Santa Claust his year, his parents reported proudly Saturday.

What's more young Scott was able to eat a wholesome Christmas dinner—a rare treat since he usually gets violently ill at the holiday season.

Scott is allergic to Christmas trees and most Christmas candy. He suffers an asthmatic condition if he happens to get close to an evergreen and Santa, if his suit has been stored, makes Scott nauseous. The boy is allergic to moth balls.

Cecil Garrison, Scott's father, said Santa visited the boy in a new suit this year, however, and Scott withstood the treat very nicely.

He was well enough Saturday to travel with his parents from Santa Fe, N. M., here to spend Christmas with his grandparents.

Scott was taken out of school early this month after an accidental brush with an evergreen made him ill.

The family then went into "hibernation" as it has done every holiday season of Scott's young life.

Mrs. Garrison said Friday that sympathetic persons from all over the country, who learned of Scott's plight through a United Press story, have "overwhelmed" her son with Christmas cards and "get-well" notes.

The youngster had recovered enough early this week that he was able to stomach a little beef broth, ginger ale and milk toast. And even the smell of other foods cooking didn't bother him too much.

Saturday, there was no tree and no candy in his grandparents' house, but otherwise Christmas was an exceptionally happy day for Scott. He was in shape for a full meal.

The family's only concern now is what will happen to the boy this Easter. He's allergic to eggs.

Installation Set By Delta Chapter

FERRIDAY, Dec. 25 (Special)—A joint installation will be held Monday night by the Delta Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, and the Ferriday Lodge No. 309, F. and A.M.

New OES officers are: Worthy Matron, Mrs. Gordon Wiggins; Worthy Patron, Nelson Summerell; Associate Matron, Mrs. J. W. Greathouse; Associate Patron, Gordon Wiggins; Conductress, Mrs. W. E. Person; Secretary, Mrs. Gladys Drane; Treasurer, Mrs. J. T. Jacobs, Sr.; Associate Conductress, Mrs. Melonie Dinger; Ada, Mrs. Pat Price; Ruth, Mrs. Louise Clanton; Esther, Mrs. Vina Pankey; Martha, Mrs. Mary Ann Crum; Electa, Mrs. W. M. Tennant; Chaplain, Mrs. D. L. Nelson; Marshall, Mrs. Maxine Summerrell; Organist, Mrs. S. R. Gray; Mrs. Minnie Alwood, Warden and Mrs. Essie Middleton, Sentinel.

Outgoing Worthy Matron is Mrs. Edith Falkenh. The new F and A.M. officers to be installed are: Worshipful Master, L. B. Taylor; Senior Warden, R. E. Jones; Junior Warden, C. D. Lowe; Treasurer, S. C. Hales; Secretary, P. H. Farmer; Senior Deacon, H. R. Smith; Junior Deacon, Ernest Crum; Chaplain, J. L. DePrato, Sr.; Senior Steward, T. H. Tucker; Junior Steward, W. W. Kelley; Master of Ceremonies, Cecil Long.

Soviets Declare Mendes-France Using Blackmail

MOSCOW, Dec. 25 —UP— The newspaper Izvestia said Saturday French Premier Pierre Mendes-France will spend the time until Monday's vote on German rearmament "blackmailing" National Assembly members who originally voted against it.

The newspaper said "flagrant pressure" continues to be exerted on French deputies from Washington and London.

It said the early Friday morning rejection of the main clause of the Paris and London agreements to rearm West Germany and set up a West European Union by the French National Assembly showed that the accords did not have French public support.

"This factually was admited by Mendes-France," the newspaper said. "Attempting to win over deputies of the National Assembly to vote for the Paris agreements he voiced demands of foreign powers—the United States and Britain—and preferred to keep silent about demands of the French people."

Stolen Antiques Are Returned On Christmas Eve

OKLAHOMA CITY, Dec. 25—UP — Mrs. Carl Glitsch, an antique dealer, told police three weeks ago that a marble statuette, lamps and candelabra worth $1,000 were stolen from her shop by a woman who posed as a customer.

Friday night Mrs. Glitsch was doing last minute Christmas chores. She told a friend, "all I want for Christmas is my antiques back."

At that moment the telephone rang. The caller, a woman with a husky voice, sounded as if she had been crying.

The caller told Mrs. Glitsch: "I'm the woman who stole your antiques. Maybe this sound silly and sentimental, but it is Christmas Eve. I haven't the heart to keep them any longer. If you will lock on your front porch you will find your antiques."

Mrs. Glitsch looked and found them, neatly packaged.

She returned and asked the caller on the telephone:

"Who are you?"

The caller replied: "Perhaps someday I'll come back and see you and explain. Merry Christmas.

Girl United With Foster Parents

ATKINSON, Neb., Dec. 25—UP — A little German girl who flew across the Atlantic to rejoin her foster parents, slept late Saturday after her first visit from Santa Claus, American style.

Four-year-old Mary Jean Kenny arrived here early Saturday after flying to Omaha from Berlin and driving the remaining 211 miles here from Omaha with her foster parents, Sgt. and Mrs. Robert Kenny.

Sgt. Kenny had prepared the "real American Christmas" well in advance after borrowing enough money to pay the little girl's fare on the long Trans-Atlantic hop.

A tearful reunion was held at Municipal Airport in Omaha Friday night when the little girl arrived on a United Air Lines plane from Chicago, where Kenny had met her.

Negro Jailed Here In Fatal Stabbing

Willie Reed, 116 DeSiard avenue, Monroe, was being held in the Ouachita Parish jail yesterday on a charge of murder in connection with the fatal stabbing of Fred Thompson, Monroe, Friday night. Police officials identified both Reed and Thompson as Negroes.

According to officers, about 8 p. m. Friday they were called to a Fourteenth street bar, where Thompson told them of having had a fight with a Negro identified only as Reed. The fight occurred at the intersection of Fourteenth and Congo streets.

Thompson, officers said, had suffered a dislocated elbow during the fracas and was apparently in great pain. The officers took him to Charity hospital, where he revealed that he had also received what appeared to be a slight wound on the left side of his chest.

At 11:30 p.m. hospital authorities notified police that complications had arisen, and that Thompson was in a critical condition. A short time later the injured man was reported to have died.

In the meantime officers had learned the full identity of Thompson's alleged assailant, and had taken Reed into custody. He was booked on a charge of murder and transferred to the parish jail.

Although Reed refused to make a statement concerning the assault, officers said he led them to the knife allegedly used in the murder.

Driver Swerves To Miss Fox And Man Loses Life

CHENOA, Ill. (AP)—A Chicago man swerved his car to miss a fox today and the car crashed into a ditch near Chenoa, killing one person and injuring three.

Mamie Robinson, about 70, of Chicago was killed.

The car's driver, Sylvester Wilson, 34, of Chicago, was taken to St. James Hospital in Pontiac with a severe neck injury.

Wilson's son, Warren, 6, suffered minor head injuries and Miss Abertine McCary of Chicago, suffered cuts and bruises.

Two of Wilson's children, Herman, 8, and Evelyn, 7, escaped without injury.

Construction Bids On Mill Channel Project Received

FERRIDAY, Dec. 25 (Special) —Apparent low bidder for construction of the Mill Bayou Channel improvement in Madison and Tensas parishes is A. J. Hanson Company of Pineville, La., according to Col. Thomas B. Simpson, district engineer of the Vicksburg, Miss., district, Corps of Engineers. The amount was given as $33,090.

The constuction consists of 190,000 cubic yards of channel clearing and snagging.

The work is in the Vidalia area of the Vicksburg district and will be under the supervision of Francis B. Geddes, area engineer at Vidalia.

The work will be commenced within 20 calendar days after the notice to proceed and shall be completed with in 120 calendar days after the date.

There were seven bidders on the contract, two from Memphis, two from Jackson, Miss., one from Monroe, and one from Rayville in addition to the Pineville firm.

Police Recover Car Stolen Here

Monroe police yesterday reported the recovery of one of two autos reported stolen here Friday night.

Officers said a 1954 Plymouth, belonging to Walter B. Barham, 605 Glenmar Street, a News-Star — World pressman, was found by state police about 3 a.m. Saturday seven miles south of Monroe on Highway 165. The car had been abandoned.

Barham said the vehicle was stolen from a North Second Street parking lot sometime between 7 and 11 p.m. Friday.

Police also said N. J. DeCorte, 3303 Gordon Avenue, had reported a 1947 Jeep station wagon stolen from the 400 block of DeSiard St. about 10:30 p.m. Friday.

The vehicle was reported to contain a large quantity of plumbing fixtures and tools.

It had not been recovered yet yesterday evening.

BREAKS ARM

VIDALIA, Dec. 25 (Special) Jimmy Deal, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Deal had a painful experience Thursday when he fell and broke his left arm. Unfortunately, young Jimmy is a southpaw, but at latest reports he is doing nicely and will be ready to resume classes at the Vidalia school in January.

Police Here Probe Theft Of Camera

Monroe police yesterday were investigating the theft of a Brownie Hawkeye camera, flash attachment and brown leather carrying case from an auto at a parking lot in the 100 block of North Fourth Street about 11:30 p.m. Friday.

The burglary was reported by D. C. Richardson, route four, West Monroe, owner of the vehicle.

Vidalia Newswoman Is Injured In Fall

VIDALIA, Dec. 25 (Special)—Miss Marie Beard of Vidalia, social editor of the Concordia Sentinel and correspondent for the Natchez, Miss., Democrat, fell Friday evening at her home in Vidalia and sustained a broken bone in her right hand.

Miss Beard, who has been writing social notes in Vidalia for the past 35 years, and who was at one time the only woman justice of the peace in the state of Louisiana, was entering her front door, missed a step and fell. She is getting along nicely at latest reports and will soon be able to resume her society correspondence, and in the meanwhile she has a substitute to write her notes for her papers.

Armed Services

M-Sgt. Edward R. Woodard, whose wife lives in Monroe, is home on re-assignment leave from Honshu, one of the major islands of Japan.

Woodard, chief clerk of transportation division, 229th Ordnace base depot, entered the army from Rapides Parish.

Killed On Curve

LEBANON, Ohio (AP) — Stephen Gibson, 26, of Austin, Ind., failed today to negotiate a curve north of here on Ohio 122 and was killed in the wreck of his car which later burned. Harold Treadway of Louisville, a passenger, was thrown clear and suffered minor injuries.

Robert Watson of Los Angeles bowled a perfect 300 game at the age of 70. He is the oldest in American Bowling Congress history to do it.

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6 Months	8.40	12.90	8.40
1 Year	16.80	25.80	16.80

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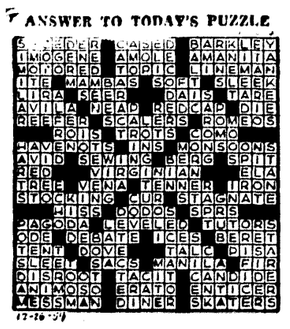
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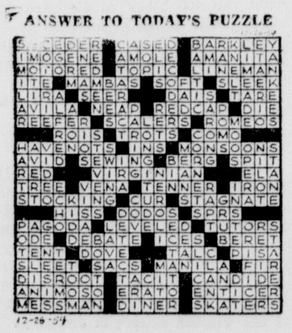
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Rooms With Board (65)

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Farms & Lands (72)

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Houses (73)

2 BEDROOM HOMES
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1000 EMERSON, NORTH Monroe. Hollywood style home. 3 years old. With extra large rooms. Master bedroom 16x22. Large carport with storage room, tile floors. Textone walls. Located in Forsythe Shopping Center. Vacant. Move in today and pay later.

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607 ROWAN, W. M. 3 room home with bath. Only $2,500.

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703 SOUTH 7th, W. M. Near Mitchell School. $4000. Small down payment.

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1504 ALABAMA. Only $500 down and assume notes.

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3 BEDROOM HOMES

119 VINSON ST., W. m. 6 room house. Front and back porch Asbestos siding. Large storage building. Fenced chicken yard. 3 years old. Shade. Lot 135x210. Near Ransom school. $7550.

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1106 CYPRESS, W. M. $7300. Business location. 6 rooms and bath.

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14 ACRES and 6 room house and bath. Barn, deep well. Newly fenced. With extra large lake. On blacktop road. Will sell with good terms. Located on Good Hope Road across from Tennessee Gas Station.

58 ACRES. Highway 80, W. M. First road past Roadside park, 2 miles north. New 6 room home. Known as Clark place. Will sell part.

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2 ACRES near Bawcomville. Across from Sullivan's Grocery. $750.

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4 ROOMS and bath. 2 acres of land. Highway 80, W. M. Near Steep Bayou. Only $4200.

BUSINESS

FOR LEASE—Business property in West Monroe. Ideal for offices.

CAFE, downtown Monroe with furnished living quarters. Doing extra good business. $3500. Known as "Gus' Cafe."

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LOTS

CORNER NORTH 3RD and Stubbs, Monroe.

LAKESHORE Drive. Lot 100x325. $3500.

BAYOU DeSiard. 120x350. Only $1800.

SUNSHINE Heights. 100x150. $1400.

SUNSHINE Height. 110x200. $1550.

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Beautiful Acres
GOES WITH this nice 3 bedroom home on new Natchitoches Road, W. M. Will sell 20 acres and home for $9450. Or 59 acres and home, $11,550. You will love this place. 20 acres are open, balance wooded. About 9 miles from city.

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2 BEDROOM BRICK home with den. Cabinets, closets galore. Nice patio, fenced yard. On lovely lot 100x150 with trees. 1514 Willis, Sunshine Heights.

AN EXCELLENT buy. 2 bedroom home, nice living room, large kitchen and dining area. Storage room. Hardwood floors, nicely papered walls. 1010 Arkansas Road. Priced at only $8,800.

305 PELICAN Drive. Nice 2 bedroom home Priced at only $6300. Quick possession.

64 ACRES. 4 bedroom home. Lights, water, butane gas. Ike Bayles property. Downsville, La.

223 JONESBORO Road. 3 bedroom home. Corner lot. $6500.

1106 CROSLEY, West Monroe. 4 room home. Priced at only $2900.

A SMALL down payment will buy a nice, redecorated home at 715 North 3rd, W. M. Vacant.

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Houses (73)

5 ROOM house. 2916 Dick Taylor St. Good condition. A bargain at asking price, $4350.

EXTRA LARGE 5 room house. 2 acres of land. Newly decorated. Lights, water, and gas. 5 miles out on White's Ferry Road, West Monroe. Price, $5000.

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A HOME FOR GRACIOUS LIVING
LARGE 2 story home. Living room with beautiful mantel, den, sunparlor, dining room, breakfast room, kitchen, and ½ bath downstairs. 4 bedrooms and 2 baths upstairs. Central heating, plenty of closet space. In perfect condition. Corner lot. Easily financed.

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FOR YOU AND YOURS IS OUR WISH. WE HAVE ENJOYED A GOOD YEAR, ALL BECAUSE OF YOUR CONFIDENCE IN OUR ABILITY TO SERVE YOU. WHILE DRIVING AROUND LOOKING AT THE BEAUTIFUL DECORATIONS, CHECK THESE LOVELY HOMES AND LOTS WE HAVE FOR SALE:

104 MARYDELLE Drive, near McGuire Club House. Beautiful brick home. Lovely living room and brick fireplace, 2 bedrooms and den, attractive kitchen. Textone walls, central heating, large screened porch. Double garage. On lot 100 x 175.

3006 N. 8TH, W. M. Lovely brick home. Spacious living room, separate dining room, nice kitchen with built-ins galore, also pantry, 2 huge bedrooms, and pine paneled den. Central heating, attic fan, blinds. Double carport. On lot 100 x 150.

2630 N. 10TH, W. M. Attractive 2 bedroom home, separate dining room. Hardwood floors, blinds, attic fan. Back yard fenced. Corner lot. $8900.

BEAUTIFUL lots in Sunshine Heights.
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NORTHSIDE
BEAUTIFUL ranch style home. Living room with fireplace and dining area, 2 bedrooms, each 12 x 16 with 3 x 12 ft. sliding door closets, BATH AND HALF, attractive kitchen with plenty of built-ins. Wall - to - wall carpeting, textone walls, panel ray heaters, attic fan, blinds. Aluminum casement windows, copper pipes. Carport and storage. In perfect condition. Back yard fenced. Well landscaped lot 90 x 150. Excellent buy. Owner transferred; first time offered for sale. Quick possession. On Spencer St., Marie Place Addn., paved street and curbing.

1400 SPENCER. Fairview Addition. Paved street. Lovely 2 bedroom home. Entrance hall, attractive living room, 21x13 with fireplace. Separate dining room, separate breakfast room, modern kitchen with more than ample cabinet space. Service porch. Oak floors, 3 floor furnaces, 48 inch attic fan, blinds, and shades. Garage. Summer house with ½ bath and barbecue pit. Also extra workshop. Beautiful corner lot 150x150, well landscaped. 2 pecan trees and oak.

NORTHSIDE, 705 Victoria. Modern 2 bedroom home. Living room and dining area, large kitchen with breakfast area, attractive bath. Ample closets and cabinets, wall heaters, asphalt tile floors. Carport and storeroom. Pay equity $1400 and assume balance. Quick possession.

BRES AVE. First time offered for sale. Lovely 3 bedroom home, 2 BATHS. Large living room and dining area, separate breakfast room with cabinet, kitchen with plenty of cabinets and pantry. 2 screened porches. 48 inch attic fan, copper pipes, new roof. Garage and storeroom. Well landscaped lot 50 x 150. Only $12,600.

NORTH 4TH, near school, busline, and stores. 3 lovely bedrooms, bath and half, living room designed from "American Homes", dining area, modern kitchen. Glassed in sun porch, inviting screened front porch. Plenty closets. Excellent condition. Quick possession. Lot 70 x 150. Only $12,800.

703 DOWNEY LANE. Modern 2 bedroom home. Dining room, closed in porch (could be used as den), floor furnace, window fan. Garage, carport.

605 STUBBS AVENUE. Lovely 3-bedroom home. 2 porches. Attic fan, blinds. Garage. Well landscaped lot.

1006 PARK. Lovely 2 bedroom brick home, and pine panelled den. Oak floors, attic fan. Attached garage. Lot 75x134.

1613 EMERSON LOVELY 3 bedroom home. Central heating. Fan, oak floors, blinds. Lot 80 x 150. Carport.

402 ROCHELLE. Lovely 3 bedroom home. Hardwood floors, floor furnace. Plenty of shade. Price reduced.

NORTH 3RD. 3 bedroom home and sun parlor. 4 floor furnaces, attic fan. Tile bath with shower. Lot 75 x 150.

802 DOWNEY Lane. 2 bedroom home. Attic fan, 3 floor furnaces, oak floors, blinds, 7 closets. Lot 75 x 150.

804 ALEXANDER. 3 bedroom home. Floor furnace, attic fan, Venetian blinds.

109 FOSTER St. 2 bedroom home, tile bath. Central heating, attic fan, oak floors. Corner lot 150x150 feet.

607 ALEXANDER. Lovely 3 bedroom home. Venetian blinds, oak floors.

2409 MARIE PLACE. Lovely 2 bedroom home. 3 floor furnaces, blinds, oak floors. Garage. Price reduced.

1401 SPENCER. 2 bedroom home, den, 2 BATHS. 3 floor furnaces, attic fan, ceiling fan, oak floors, carport.

ERIN AVENUE. 2 bedroom brick home, den. Tile bath. 3 air condition units, attic fan, 3 ceiling fans, floor furnace, plenty closets. Drapes, blinds.

EMERSON. Marie Place Addn. Lovely 2-bedroom brick home, den. Central heating, air condition unit, blinds. Carport. Lot 100x150 ft.

1012 PARK AVE. 2 bedroom home. Wall-to-wall carpets. Floor furnace. Garage. 4 ROOM garage apartment. Furnished or unfurnished. Lot 50 x 150.

MODERN 2 bedroom home. Oak floors, floor furnace. 8 closets.

SOUTH
1705 SOUTH 5TH. Practically new 2-bedroom home. Blinds, wall heaters, asphalt tile floors. Only $7600.

101 SOUTH 1ST. 3 unit apartment house or use as home. 10 rooms and 3 baths. 2 porches. Corner lot 83 x 150. $13,500

1900 JACKSON. Apartment house, consists of 22 rooms, 5 baths. Price reduced.

615 CALYPSO. Duplex, completely furnished. 7 rooms, bath. 2 rooms, bath.

301 SIXTH ST. Excellent buy for commercial purposes.

BAYOU
BON AIRE Drive, on Bayou. 3 bedroom home. Attic fan, blinds, carport, storeroom. Trees. Large lot. Vacant. $14,950.

COLLEGE
NEAR SHERROUSE School and churches. Lovely 2 bedroom home. Large living room with fireplace, separate dining room, separate breakfast room, spacious kitchen. Lovely glassed in sun porch with ceiling fan. Service porch. Blinds and shades, attic fan, heaters, oak floors, textone walls. Double garage. Well landscaped lot 75x150.

3305 CAMERON, near College. Modern 5 room home. Newly redecorated. New bath fixtures. Garage. Lot 50 x 140.

COLE AVENUE — Beautiful 3-bedroom home, pine panelled den, 2 BATHS. Attic fan, floor furnace, 2 Coleman heaters. Corner lot 70 x 150. Garage.

COLLEGE Ave. Beautiful 3 bedroom, 2 story home. 1 bedroom and bath downstairs. 2 floor furnaces, blinds. Garage.

3810 GERALD. 2 bedroom home. Double panel ray heater, attic fan.

DUPLEX, near college. Like new 4 rooms, bath, each side. Blinds, heaters.

WEST MONROE
DUPLEX. Southside. 3 rooms, bath, each side. Corner lot. Good revenue.

311 WOODROW, W. M. Modern 3 bedroom home. Blinds, drapes. Lot 75x150.

2803 NORTH 7TH, McGuire Addn., W.M. 2 bedroom home. Floor furnace, attic fan, oak floors, blinds. Lot 110 x 150. $9450 WILL BUY this lovely home on North 5th, W. M. 3 bedrooms. Attic fan, blinds, oak floors, garage.
Mrs. L. G. Gilliland
Realtor Dial 8551 or 2-3770

Houses (73)

4 ROOM HOUSE with bath. Lot 100 x 400. Morris St., Bawcomville, W. M. $4000.

MORRIS ST., Bawcomville, W. M. Nice 4 room house and bath. Lot 100 x 95. Only $3300.

Lots for colored.
E. L. Averett, 3-8712

SOUTHSIDE. 4 bedroom home with dining room, nice screened porch. On large lot with beautiful shrubs. Nice neighborhood. On busline; close to school and churches. In excellent condition. An exceptional buy. FHA appraisal, $10,000. Will sell for $9,000. Only $900 down. Ph. 2-0747 or 3-4115.

712 PINE, W. M.
CORNER LOT. 6 room house. Front porch. Lifetime roof. $4750.
308 S. 1ST, MONROE, $6000
LARGE 6 room house. Back screened porch, blinds, steel kitchen cabinets, hood over stove, attic fan, termite contract. Garage. Large trees. 1 block off Jackson.
C. E. Buckley, Realtor, 3-1195

AFTER CHRISTMAS EXCHANGE DEPARTMENT
IF YOU'VE outgrown your present home, why not "exchange" it for a larger home, such as this 3 bedroom home on Breville (near the college). Has attic fan, floor furnace, Venetian blinds, and is insulated. Garage and storeroom. In excellent condition. About 3 years old. Owner transferred, will sell for only $10,500. Small down payment G. I. or FHA.

TOO LATE FOR CHRISTMAS
BUT NO. 1 New Year's Resolution should be this lovely home with 2 large bedrooms and den, large living room, dinette, utility room, tile bath. Plenty of large walk-in closets, central heating, attic fan. Built-in dishwasher and drapes included. Double carport and storage room. On lot 100x262. Located on North 8th (McGuire Addition) West Monroe, in very best residential section.

STILL TIME TO BUY
"YOUR BEST GIRL" a home for the New Year . . . and here is a home surrounded by pine trees. This very nice 2 bedroom home has den and separate dining room. Has just been reconditioned and remodeled throughout. Has new cabinets, new linoleum, etc. On large lot 100x400. Located on Shreveport Highway, about 1½ miles from West Monroe city limits. Small down payment FHA or G. I.

WILL 1954 LEAVE YOU
12 WORTHLESS rent receipts? Don't let this happen in '55, for with a small down payment (FHA or G. I.) you can buy this home at 1304 South 2nd. Has 2 large bedrooms with Venetian blinds, attic fan. In excellent condition. Has shade trees and back yard fenced.

WHY NOT A NEW ADDRESS
FOR THE New Year? Inspect this 5 room house with Venetian blinds. Carport. Has shade trees and fruit trees in back. Will FHA or G. I. with very small down payment. Located 1509 South 3rd, Monroe.

AND LET US SHOW YOU THESE LISTINGS:
MONROE
4-ROOM house, dinette. Hardwood floors. In excellent condition. Small down payment, FHA or GI. 1307 South 1st.

4-BEDROOM home in good residential section on St. John St. Has separate dining room, 2 screened porches. Corner lot, 75x100. Now vacant. Ideal for residence or clinic.

DUPLEX SOUTHSIDE, 10 rooms, 2 baths, 3 lots. Price $8500.

BRAND NEW (just completed) 3 bedroom home with 2 baths. Carport and storage room. It's extra large and modern in every detail, including central heating and attic fan. Located near the college. Call for further details.

NICE 4 ROOM house, bath. 2 lots. $5000. Located on Kansas Lane.

120 ACRE farm. (2) 5 room houses and (1) 4 room house. 3 barns, large shop building tractors and all

State Police Report

Cracking down on drunk and reckless drivers, members of Troop F, Louisiana state police, arrested nine and seven persons in the two categories respectively during the past week. A total of 32 persons were arrested during the seven day period.

The report, issued from troop headquarters in Monroe, also listed persons charged with speeding, no drivers license, violating drivers license restriction, improper brakes, disturbing the peace, obstruction of the highway, and violating game laws.

Charged with drunk driving were: Ike Adams, 26, Negro, Route 2, St. Joseph; Edward Ramey, 37, Negro, 405 Straight Street, Bastrop; Lannie Williams, 52, Negro, Route 1, Mer Rouge; Alpheus C. Carlton, 29, Lake Providence; Sam Rogers, 48, Negro, Route 2, Lake Providence; Sherman Martin, 46, Negro, 4008 Mervan Street, Shreveport; Haywood Arendale, 37, 205 8th St., Orange, Tex.; Collie S. Hopkins, 43, Route 4, Mount Olive, Miss.; and Nathan Hart, 28, Route 1, Pioneer.

Other offenses and persons arrested were:

Reckless driving: James E. Williams, 71, Negro, Route 3, Delhi; Ora Kidd, 46, Negro, Route 1, Choudrant; Jack N. Humphries, 29, Oak Grove; Joseph Montgomery, 33, Negro, 801 Wilson Street, Monroe; Lee Berry, 52, Negro, Route 1, Transylvania; Edward L. Lester, 21, Jonesboro; and Bennie Williams, 22, Negro, 709 Texas Avenue, Monroe.

Speeding: Bobby N. Lewis, 25, Rosehill, Miss.; Charles T. Rolfe, 20, Oak Ridge; and Robert Ingram, 45, Forest, La.

No drivers license: Carl Jim Pettis, 39, Route 1, Bonita.

Violating driver's license restriction: Elia Clay, 53, Negro, Lake Providence.

Improper brakes: Hulen Varbough, 28, Oak Grove.

Disturbing the peace, carrying a concealed weapon: Beatrice Curry, 30, Negro, 108 North 14th street, Monroe.

Disturbing the peace: Howard Smith, 53, 4940 Lucille street, Shreveport; and Chester S. Porter, Jr., 32, 111 Mary street, Monroe.

Obstruction of the highway: Albert B. Boston, 42, Negro, Route 3, Lake Providence.

Escape (LTI) Tribble Hamks, 17, Monroe.

Violating Game Laws: P. W. Dear, 42, Route 1, Rayville; James W. Dear, 18, Route 1, Rayville; Charles Webb, 40, Negro, Waterproof; Henry West, 21, Negro, Archibald; and R. J. Adams, 31, Newellton.

N. B. James Named On Bond Committee

FARMERVILLE, Dec. 25 (Special) — Joseph J. Knecht, state director of the Louisiana savings bonds division of the Treasury Department, has announced the appointment of N. B. James as chairman of the Union Parish savings bonds committee.

James has been a resident of Farmerville and Union Parish since 1924, and during this time has been very active in many civic and community activities. He is a past president of the Farmerville Lions Club, and is now president of the Union Parish Development Association. He is a member of the First Baptist Church of Farmerville.

James has been in the field of banking for a number of years and is now president of the Farmerville Bank and the Sterlington Bank. As chairman of the Union Parish committee, he will formulate and assist in furthering the promotion of the savings bonds program in the parish.

Christmas Eve In Japan Brings Wild Gaiety, But New Year's To Be Sober

TOKYO, Dec. 25 (AP)—Japanese, reversing the pattern of celebration observed in the United States, crowded Tokyo's bright-lighted Ginza district almost two million strong last night in a spree of Christmas Eve merrymaking.

In Japan, where only about one person out of 270 is a Christian and most of the others are either moderate Buddhists or non-believers, Christmas is a time for partying and New Year's a time for being quiet.

Cabarets and nightclubs were jammed with tens of thousands of celebrants enjoying their last fling before the onset of Japan's solemn New Year's season.

Christmas also is tremendously popular for gift giving. But except for small islands of Christians it has no religious significance whatever in spite of red-clad Japanese St. Nicks, flashing stars of Bethlehem, nativity scenes and even Christmas carols.

Last night's partymaking was the last big fling of the year. According to Japanese custom, outstanding debts must be settled by midnight Dec. 31. And traditionally, there are many suicides and bankruptcies the week after New Year's.

Come New Year's, while Americans are whooping it up in the United States, Japanese families will be quietly decorating family graves, holding memorial services for ancestors and meeting in huge and solemn family reunions.

On Jan. 2, tens and often hundreds of thousands of Japanese flock to the Imperial Palace in the heart of Tokyo to leave calling cards and to salute the Emperor and the Empress. Both monarchs make about eight appearances that day.

Police will be on emergency duty to guard against a repetition of last year's palace stampede that killed 16 and opened 1954 on a note of tragedy.

Ill Mother Dies As Human Torch; Leaves Sad Note

DENVER, Dec. 25 —UP—Mrs. Esther Tate, 35-year-old Denver mother, turned Christmas into a nightmare for her little five-year-old son and her husband.

Police said the Denver woman committed suicide late Friday afternoon by setting herself ablaze with cleaning fluid and a match.

The grief - stricken husband found his wife's charred body in the family garage, lying on a smouldering mattress, at about 5:30 p. m. He said his young son was playing in the house when he arrived home from work a few minutes earlier and found his wife missing.

Medical examiner W. S. Tucker said he would make an "examination" of the body Saturday to see if there were any questionable circumstances concerning the death.

Tucker said the woman apparently dragged the mattress from her bed to the garage, soaked it and herself with cleaning fluid, and struck the match while she was lying on the mattress.

World News Briefs

TOKYO, Dec. 25—UP—Red China announced Saturday the death of Wu Chuan Yu, its outstanding swimmer who had been scheduled to compete in the 1956 Olympics at Melbourne.

Peiping radio said Wu was killed in an airplane accident last Oct. 29 while en route to Hungary. No reason was given for the delay in announcing his death.

BONN, Germany, Dec. 25 (UP)—Chancellor Konrad Adenauer warn-Chancellor Konrad Adenauer warned Saturday "this is a dangerous time for peace" and called on Germans to give thanks that peace was preserved in 1954.

Adenauer spoke in a recorded broadcast to the German people and reminded them of the plight of 18 million fellow countrymen under Communist rule in East Germany.

SANTIAGO, Chile, Dec. 25—UP—Chile's chamber of deputies called on the government Saturday to repeal a new decree which calls for rationing of news print.

Publishers and newsmen have opposed the decree, which sets up a newsprint rationing board, as a step toward restricting freedom of the press.

LONDON, Dec. 25 — UP—The Yugoslav radio announced Friday night the arrival of 147,000 gift packages in Belgrade.

The packages, sent by the world union of churches and the Lutheran World Aid group, will be distributed through the Red Cross.

TOKYO, Dec. 25—UP — Chinese Communist propagandists claimed again Saturday the Communist regime will "liberate" Formosa and "elminate" the Nationalist government.

A Peiping propaganda broadcast monitored in Tokyo said, "The Chinese people have full confidence as well as the strength to accomplish this sacred task."

QUITO, Ecuador, Dec. 25—UP—Pedro Menedez Gilbert Saturday assumed direction of the Ecuadorean armed forces.

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State Police Report

Cracking down on drunk and reckless drivers, members of Troop F, Louisiana state police, arrested nine and seven persons in the two categories respectively during the past week. A total of 32 persons were arrested during the seven day period.

The report, issued from troop headquarters in Monroe, also listed persons charged with speeding, no drivers license, violating drivers license restriction, improper brakes, disturbing the peace, obstruction of the highway, and violating game laws.

Charged with drunk driving were: Ike Adams, 26, Negro, Route 2, St. Joseph; Edward Ramey, 37, Negro, 405 Straight Street, Bastrop; Lannie Williams, 52, Negro, Route 1, Mer Rouge; Alpheus C. Carlton, 29, Lake Providence; Sam Rogers, 48, Negro, Route 2, Lake Providence; Sherman Martin, 46, Negro, 4008 Mervan Street, Shreveport; Haywood Arendale, 37, 205 8th St., Orange, Tex.; Collie S. Hopkins, 43, Route 4, Mount Olive, Miss.; and Nathan Hart, 28, Route 1, Pioneer.

Other offenses and persons arrested were:

Reckless driving: James E. Williams, 71, Negro, Route 3, Delhi; Ora Kidd, 46, Negro, Route 1, Choudrant; Jack N. Humphries, 29, Oak Grove; Joseph Montgomery, 33, Negro, 801 Wilson Street, Monroe; Lee Berry, 52, Negro, Route 1, Transylvania; Edward L. Lester, 21, Jonesboro; and Bennie Williams, 22, Negro, 709 Texas Avenue, Monroe.

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No drivers license: Carl Jim Pettis, 39, Route 1, Bonita.

Violating driver's license restriction: Elia Clay, 53, Negro, Lake Providence.

Improper brakes: Hulen Varbough, 28, Oak Grove.

Disturbing the peace, carrying a concealed weapon: Beatrice Curry, 30, Negro, 108 North 14th street, Monroe.

Disturbing the peace: Howard Smith, 53, 4940 Lucille street, Shreveport; and Chester S. Porter, Jr., 32, 111 Mary street, Monroe.

Obstruction of the highway: Albert B. Boston, 42, Negro, Route 3, Lake Providence.

Escape (LTI) Tribble Hamks, 17, Monroe.

Violating Game Laws: P. W. Dear, 42, Route 1, Rayville; James W. Dear, 18, Route 1, Rayville; Charles Webb, 40, Negro, Waterproof; Henry West, 21, Negro, Archibald; and R. J. Adams, 31, Newellton.

N. B. James Named On Bond Committee

FARMERVILLE, Dec. 25 (Special) — Joseph J. Knecht, state director of the Louisiana savings bonds division of the Treasury Department, has announced the appointment of N. B. James as chairman of the Union Parish savings bonds committee.

James has been a resident of Farmerville and Union Parish since 1924, and during this time has been very active in many civic and community activities. He is a past president of the Farmerville Lions Club, and is now president of the Union Parish Development Association. He is a member of the First Baptist Church of Farmerville.

James has been in the field of banking for a number of years and is now president of the Farmerville Bank and the Sterlington Bank. As chairman of the Union Parish committee, he will formulate and assist in furthering the promotion of the savings bonds program in the parish.

Christmas Eve In Japan Brings Wild Gaiety, But New Year's To Be Sober

TOKYO, Dec. 25 (AP)—Japanese, reversing the pattern of celebration observed in the United States, crowded Tokyo's bright-lighted Ginza district almost two million strong last night in a spree of Christmas Eve merrymaking.

In Japan, where only about one person out of 270 is a Christian and most of the others are either moderate Buddhists or non-believers, Christmas is a time for partying and New Year's a time for being quiet.

Cabarets and nightclubs were jammed with tens of thousands of celebrants enjoying their last fling before the onset of Japan's solemn New Year's season.

Christmas also is tremendously popular for gift giving. But except for small islands of Christians it has no religious significance whatever in spite of red-clad Japanese St. Nicks, flashing stars of Bethlehem, nativity scenes and even Christmas carols.

Last night's partymaking was the last big fling of the year. According to Japanese custom, outstanding debts must be settled by midnight Dec. 31. And traditionally, there are many suicides and bankruptices the week after New Year's.

Come New Year's, while Americans are whooping it up in the United States, Japanese families will be quietly decorating family graves, holding memorial services for ancestors and meeting in huge and solemn family reunions.

On Jan. 2, tens and often hundreds of thousands of Japanese flock to the Imperial Palace in the heart of Tokyo to leave calling cards and t salute the Emperor and the Empress. Both monarchs make about eight appearances that day.

Police will be on emergency duty to guard against a repetition of last year's palace stampede that killed 16 and opened 1954 on a note of tragedy.

Ill Mother Dies As Human Torch; Leaves Sad Note

DENVER, Dec. 25 —UP—Mrs. Esther Tate, 35-year-old Denver mother, turned Christmas into a nightmare for her little five-year-old son and her husband.

Police said the Denver woman committed suicide late Friday afternoon by setting herself ablaze with cleaning fluid and a match.

The grief - stricken husband found his wife's charred body in the family garage, lying on a smouldering mattress, at about 5:30 p. m. He said his young son was playing in the house when he arrived home from work a few minutes earlier and found his wife missing.

Medical examiner W. S. Tucker said he would make an "examination" of the body Saturday to see if there were any questionable circumstances concerning the death.

Tucker said the woman apparently dragged the mattress from her bed to the garage, soaked it and herself with cleaning fluid, and struck the match while she was lying on the mattress.

World News Briefs

TOKYO, Dec. 25—UP—Red China announced Saturday the death of Wu Chuan Yu, its outstanding swimmer who had been scheduled to compete in the 1956 Olympics at Melbourne.

Peiping radio said Wu was killed in an airplane accident last Oct. 29 while en route to Hungary. No reason was given for the delay in announcing his death.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Waldroup will return home early this week from Cleveland, Tenn., where they were the Christmas guests of her sister and brother, Mr. and Mrs. John Bryant.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Hibbard of Seattle, Wash., announce the birth of their second child and first daughter, Donna, born Monday, December 20. Mrs. Hibbard is remembered as the former Miss Patsy Slack of this city. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hibbard of Chicago, Ill., and Mrs. O. P. Slack of Monroe.

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Mrs. Reddie Robson of Dallas, Tex., is the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Breard during the Christmas season.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Curtis Smith are spending Christmas in Tulsa, Okla. with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Crites, and their two granddaughters, Patricia and Carla.

Mrs. O. M. Arnette will be the guest of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Waldore Arnette in Shreveport for the Christmas holidays.

Miss Linda Burnham is home from All Saints College in Vicksburg, Miss., for the holidays and is the guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cohen on Alexander.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. O'Connor of Grand Forks, N. D., arrived last week to spend the holidays with their daughter and family, Dr. and Mrs. F. E. Polen.

Lt. Com. and Mrs. R. L. Earl and sons, Rusty, Mike and Rodney of Pensacola, Florida are guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Earl, 3708 Cypress street.

Recent guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Fields were Miss Glada B. Walker, of Harrisonburg, Va., Mrs. Brown Culp of El Dorado, Ark., and Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Walker, Mrs. Michell Dugdale and daughter, of Choudrant.

Jack Brittain arrived home Wednesday for the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Brittain, 2404 Gordon Ave. Jack is attending law school at L. S. U.

Alford-Williams Vows Said In Home Ceremony

Miss Rachell Ann Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Williams of Calhoun became the bride of R. L. Alford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Alford of Grayson, in an impressive ceremony at 7 o'clock. The wedding was solemnized in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mayes in Calhoun with Reverend Patrick M. Guice, pastor of the Clark Spring Baptist Church of Monroe, officiating.

The young couple exchanged their vows before an improvised altar banked with shades of yellow and white chrysanthemums and greenery. The bride's only attendant was Mrs. Clarence Alford, who wore a soft blue dress with navy accessories.

For her wedding the bride wore a navy suit with white velvet collar. Her small hat was white and her accessories, navy. She wore a corsage of white chrysanthemums.

Clarence Alford, served his brother as best man.

A reception followed the ceremony. Arrangements of yellow, pink and white chrysanthemums decorated the house. The bride's table, covered with a crocheted cloth was centered with a three tiered wedding cake. Crystal candelabra with burning tapers were placed at either side. Mrs. Mayes presided at the punch bowl and Mrs. Williams, mother of the bride, served the wedding cake.

The young couple are at home in West Monroe.

Toasted cheese sandwiches are extra - good when prepared this way. Place a generous slice of cheddar cheese between two slices of bread. Butter the outside of the sandwich and brown on both sides in a heavy skillet over low heat.

Miss Judy Harris Honored At Pre-Nuptial Parties

The Country Club was the setting on Wednesday for a luncheon honoring Miss Judy Harris, who becomes the bride of Frank Sterling Harris, Jr., today. Mrs. E. N. Jackson and Mrs. D. V. Loflin Jr., were the hostesses for the party.

The table was covered with a white cloth and for the center a gold candelabra banked with golden Christmas balls and gilded cedar was alight with many white tapers. Miniature white Bibles mounted on white and gold cards marked the places for the honor guest, her mother, Mrs. James T. Harris, Mrs. Ben Oliphint, Mrs. Thomas G. Frazer, Mrs. H. L. Johns, Mrs. W. B. Inabnet, Miss Frances Langford, Miss Elizabeth Langford, Miss Emma Jean Hall, Miss Elizabeth McKinley, Mrs. Henry Guerriero, and Mrs. Fred Huenefeld, Jr.

Others complimenting the Christmas bride - elect in Shreveport last week, where she is a student at Centenary College, were Miss Mary Alice Chatham who was hostess to about 50 guests at a linen shower on December 14 in her home there. Other hostesses were Miss Jackie Wroten of Bastrop and Mrs. J. D. Brook who surprised Miss Harris with a pantry shower in her apartment.

Later in the week Miss Harris was honoree at a kitchen shower given by Miss Elaine Golson of Baton Rouge and Miss Mary Dean of Dallas in the Zeta Tau Alpha House, on the Centenary campus, which was gay with Christmas decorations for the occasion.

In Baton Rouge, Mrs. T. C. Richardson, Miss Daisy Lee Richardson, Mrs. Mary Huff and Mrs. C. C. Hooker were hostesses at a tea shower honoring Miss Harris. The party was held in the parlors of the Istrouma Methodist Church which was decorated in Christmas greens. Miss Harris was wearing a blue crystaline dress with a corsage of white carnations and tiny white wedding bells. There were 50 guests who called during the party hours from 5 until 7 o'clock.

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Arriving today to visit the William Rodriguez family is Midshipman Edwin Grant of Denver, Colo. Their house party includes their son and his wife, Ensign and Mrs. William Rodriguez who are residing in Pensacola, Fla., their daughter, Mary Edith, who is a senior at Northwestern at Memphis, Tenn., and their mother, Mrs. Wood Brown, who will return home from New Orleans early this week.

Mr. and Mrs. James V. Gates departed Friday for Warren, Ark., where they spent Christmas with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hughs.

Miss Lucy Moore and Mrs. A.B. Moore arrived here Christmas Day for a visit with Mrs. R. E. Major.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Waldroup will return home early this week from Cleveland, Tenn., where they were the Christmas guests of her sister and brother, Mr. and Mrs. John Bryant.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Hibbard of Seattle, Wash., announce the birth of their second child and first daughter, Donna, born Monday, December 20. Mrs. Hibbard is remembered as the former Miss Patsy Slack of this city. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hibbard of Chicago, Ill., and Mrs. O. P. Slack of Monroe.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Guinn of Gulfport, Miss., are spending the Christmas holidays with Mrs. Irene Reid.

Mr. T. C. McManus left by plane on Friday for a visit with relatives in Greensboro, N. C.

Mrs. Leo Levy is spending the holidays in Houston, Tex., as a guest of relatives.

Mrs. Reddie Robson of Dallas, Tex., is the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Breard during the Christmas season.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Curtis Smith are spending Christmas in Tulsa, Okla. with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Crites, and their two granddaughters, Patricia and Carla.

Mrs. O. M. Arnette will be the guest of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Waldore Arnette in Shreveport for the Christmas holidays.

Miss Linda Burnham is home from All Saints College in Vicksburg, Miss., for the holidays and is the guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cohen on Alexander.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. O'Connor of Grand Forks, N. D., arrived last week to spend the holidays with their daughter and family, Dr. and Mrs. F. E. Polen.

Lt. Com. and Mrs. R. L. Earl and sons, Rusty, Mike and Rodney of Pensacola, Florida are guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Earl, 3708 Cypress street.

Recent guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Fields were Miss Glada B. Walker, of Harrisonburg, Va., Mrs. Brown Culp of El Dorado, Ark., and Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Walker, Mrs. Michell Dugdale and daughter, of Choudrant.

Jack Brittain arrived home Wednesday for the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Brittain, 2404 Gordon Ave. Jack is attending law school at L. S. U.

Alford-Williams Vows Said In Home Ceremony

Miss Rachell Ann Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Williams of Calhoun became the bride of R. L. Alford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Alford of Grayson, in an impressive ceremony at 7 o'clock. The wedding was solemnized in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mayes in Calhoun with Reverend Patrick M. Guice, pastor of the Clark Spring Baptist Church of Monroe, officiating.

The young couple exchanged their vows before an improvised altar banked with shades of yellow and white chrysanthemums and greenery. The bride's only attendant was Mrs. Clarence Alford who wore a soft blue dress with navy accessories.

For her wedding the bride wore a navy suit with white velvet collar. Her small hat was white and her accessories, navy. She wore a corsage of white chrysanthemums.

Clarence Alford, served his brother as best man.

A reception followed the ceremony. Arrangements of yellow, pink and white chrysanthemums decorated the house. The bride's table, covered with a crocheted cloth was centered with a three tiered wedding cake. Crystal candelabra with burning tapers were placed at either side. Mrs. Mayes presided at the punch bowl and Mrs. Williams, mother of the bride, served the wedding cake.

The young couple are at home in West Monroe.

Toasted cheese sandwiches are extra - good when prepared this way. Place a generous slice of cheddar cheese between two slices of bread. Butter the outside of the sandwich and brown on both sides in a heavy skillet over low heat.

Miss Judy Harris Honored At Pre-Nuptial Parties

The Country Club was the setting on Wednesday for a luncheon honoring Miss Judy Harris, who becomes the bride of Frank Sterling Harris, Jr., today. Mrs. E. N. Jackson and Mrs. D. V. Loflin Jr., were the hostesses for the party.

The table was covered with a white cloth and for the center a gold candelabra banked with golden Christmas balls and gilded cedar was alight with many white tapers. Miniature white Bibles mounted on white and gold cards marked the places for the honor guest, her mother, Mrs. James T. Harris, Mrs. Ben Oliphint, Mrs. Thomas G. Frazer, Mrs. H. L. Johns, Mrs. W. B. Inabnet, Miss Frances Langford, Miss Elizabeth Langford, Miss Emma Jean Hall, Miss Elizabeth McKinley, Mrs. Henry Guerriero, and Mrs. Fred Huenefeld, Jr.

Others complimenting the Christmas bride - elect in Shreveport last week, where she is a student at Centenary College, were Miss Mary Alice Chatham who was hostess to about 50 guests at a linen shower on December 14 in her home there. Other hostesses were Miss Jackie Wroten of Bastrop and Mrs. J. D. Brook who surprised Miss Harris with a pantry shower in her apartment.

Later in the week Miss Harris was honoree at a kitchen shower given by Miss Elaine Golson of Baton Rouge and Miss Mary Dean of Dallas in the Zeta Tau Alpha House, on the Centenary campus, which was gay with Christmas decorations for the occasion.

In Baton Rouge, Mrs. T. C. Richardson, Miss Daisy Lee Richardson, Mrs. Mary Huff and Mrs. C. C. Hooker were hostesses at a tea shower honoring Miss Harris. The party was held in the parlors of the Istrouma Methodist Church which was decorated in Christmas greens. Miss Harris was wearing a blue crystaline dress with a corsage of white carnations and tiny white wedding bells. There were 50 guests who called during the party hours from 5 until 7 o'clock.

For weight watchers: a medium-sized white potato furnishes 100 calories; a medium - sized sweet potato furnishes 150 calories.

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The president then conducted the business meeting. Mrs. Baskin gave the devotional, and the meeting was closed by prayer led by Mrs. Goforth. Attending the meeting were Mrs. Stewart, Mrs. Pepper, Mrs. Lyles, Mrs. Frellsen, Mrs. Baskin, Miss Goforth, Mrs. Goforth, Mrs. Platt, Mrs. Jarrette, Miss Hathaway, Miss Brand, Mrs. Womble, Mrs. Black, Miss Brothers, Mrs. Brand, Mrs. Shipman, and Mrs. Le Fevre.

Music Students Entertained At Christmas Party

The Christmas party for the students of Mrs. C. W. Oseland was held with much enthusiasm this week. The hostess appropriately selected a musical theme for the party this year beginning with an unusual door arrangement of evergreens forming a background for a golden trumpet and colored bells.

Two beautifully decorated trees were placed in the living room.

A musical program was presented, followed by the singing of Christmas carols. Later the guests were invited into the dining room, where the lace - covered table, featuring a Nativity scene surrounded by tall white candles in crystal holders, held large trays of candies, cakes and nuts.

Following the erving of refreshments, gifts were distributed. During the evening colored movies were made of the various activities.



MRS. CLAIBORNE EUGENE GRIFFIN, JR.

Beverly Elayne Smith Says Vows In Church Ceremony

Of interest Saturday, December 18, was the marriage of Miss Beverly Elayne Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Solon E. Smith of Delhi to Claibourne Eugene Griffin, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Claibourne E. Griffin of Falls Church, Va.

The ceremony took place at 4 o'clock in the First Baptist Church of Delhi, and was celebrated by Reverend G. F. Stinebaugh. Poinsettias, branches of pine and cedar, and wrought iron candelabra with burning red tapers decorated the church. A program of nuptial music was given by Mrs. H. R. Spence, organist.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. Her gown of candlelight taffeta was trimmed with Chantilly lace. A headpiece of lace and tulle studded with seed pearls held her veil of illusion. She carried a bouquet of lilies of the valley and baby orchids.

Miss Mildred Annice Smith was the maid of honor. Her gown of peacock blue net was banded with satin. She carried red roses.

Franklin A. Read, Jr., of Wood, North Carolina was best man.

Ushers included Dr. William B. Black, Decatur, Alabama, Charles K. Mann, Kensington, Maryland, William S. Wymond, Jr., Dallas, Texas, and Hall Peyton, Wayne, Pennsylvania.

The reception was held in the home of the bride's parents. Mrs. Smith received in a blue - grey cocktail length dress of lace and taffeta. She had a corsage of red carnations. The bridegrooms' mother wore a dress of mauve lace and taffeta with matching hat and a corsage of white blossoms.

Garlands of ivy and pink carnations decorated the bride's table which had for its center piece a three tiered wedding cake of white trimmed with pink roses and pearls.

Assisting during the afternoon were Mrs. J. B. Smith, Miss Joyce Golson, Miss Amy Lou Smith, Miss Madge McEacharn, Miss Barbara Bowman and Miss Elizabeth Wear.

Mr. and Mrs. Griffin left on a wedding trip to Mexico City and on their return will be at home in Charlottesville, Virginia. For traveling the bride wore a charcoal grey flannel suit, vested with red velvet, her small off the face hat was of red velvet and her other accessories, black.

Out of town guests for the event were Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Griffin, Falls Church, Virginia; Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Griffin, Falls Church, Virginia, Mrs. F. A. Read, Wood, North Carolina; Mr. and Mrs. William S. Wymond, Jr., Dallas, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Hilton Gilliland and family of Liberty, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Gilliland, Liberty, Texas; Mrs. R. L. Walters, Lonnie and Diana, Rayville; Judge and Mrs. Jesse Heard and family, Miss Catherine Averett, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Drew and Family and Mrs. Clara Gilliland, all of West Monroe, John Bowman, Houston, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Berdon, Lawrence, Billy and William Gray Jr., Natchez, Miss.; Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Rives, Ruston and Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Spence, Shreveport.

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The president then conducted the business meeting. Mrs. Baskin gave the devotional, and the meeting was closed by prayer led by Mrs. Goforth. Attending the meeting were Mrs. Stewart, Mrs. Pepper, Mrs. Lyles, Mrs. Frellsen, Mrs. Baskin, Miss Goforth, Mrs. Goforth, Mrs. Platt, Mrs. Jarrette, Miss Hathaway, Miss Brand, Mrs. Womble, Mrs. Black, Miss Brothers, Mrs. Brand, Mrs. Shipman, and Mrs. Le Fevre.

Music Students Entertained At Christmas Party

The Christmas party for the students of Mrs. C. W. Oseland was held with much enthusiasm this week. The hostess appropriately selected a musical theme for the party this year beginning with an unusual door arrangement of evergreens forming a background for a golden trumpet and colored bells.

Two beautifully decorated trees were placed in the living room.

A musical program was presented, followed by the singing of Christmas carols. Later the guests were invited into the dining room, where the lace - covered table, featuring a Nativity scene surrounded by tall white candles in crystal holders, held large trays of candies, cakes and nuts.

Following the erving of refreshments, gifts were distributed. During the evening colored movies were made of the various activities.



MRS. CLAIBORNE EUGENE GRIFFIN, JR.

Beverly Elayne Smith Says Vows In Church Ceremony

Of interest Saturday, December 18, was the marriage of Miss Beverly Elayne Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Solon E. Smith of Delhi to Claibourne Eugene Griffin, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Claibourne E. Griffin of Falls Church, Va.

The ceremony took place at 4 o'clock in the First Baptist Church of Delhi, and was celebrated by Reverend G. F. Stinebaugh. Poinsettias, branches of pine and cedar, and wrought iron candelabra with burning red tapers decorated the church. A program of nuptial music was given by Mrs. H. R. Spence, organist.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. Her gown of candlelight taffeta was trimmed with Chantilly lace. A headpiece of lace and tulle studded with seed pearls held her veil of illusion. She carried a bouquet of lilies of the valley and baby orchids.

Miss Mildred Annice Smith was the maid of honor. Her gown of peacock blue net was banded with satin. She carried red roses.

Franklin A. Read, Jr., of Wood, North Carolina was best man.

Ushers included Dr. William B. Black, Decatur, Alabama, Charles K. Mann, Kensington, Maryland, William S. Wymond, Jr., Dallas, Texas, and Hall Peyton, Wayne, Pennsylvania.

The reception was held in the home of the bride's parents. Mrs. Smith received in a blue - grey cocktail length dress of lace and taffeta. She had a corsage of red carnations. The bridegrooms' mother wore a dress of mauve lace and taffeta with matching hat and a corsage of white blossoms.

Garlands of ivy and pink carnations decorated the bride's table which had for its center piece a tiered wedding cake of white trimmed with pink roses and pearls.

Assisting during the afternoon were Mrs. J. B. Smith, Miss Joyce Golson, Miss Amy Lou Smith, Miss Madge McEacharn, Miss Barbara Bowman and Miss Elizabeth Wear.

Mr. and Mrs. Griffin left on a wedding trip to Mexico City and on their return will be at home in Charlottesville, Virginia. For traveling the bride wore a charcoal grey flannel suit, vested with red velvet, her small off the face hat was of red velvet and her other accessories, black.

Out of town guests for the event were Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Griffin, Falls Church, Virginia; Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Griffin, Falls Church, Virginia, Mrs. F. A. Read, Wood, North Carolina; Mr. and Mrs. William S. Wymond, Jr., Dallas, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Hilton Gilliland and family of Liberty, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Gilliland, Liberty, Texas; Mrs. R. L. Walters, Lonnie and Diana, Rayville; Judge and Mrs. Jesse Heard and family, Miss Catherine Averett, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Drew and Family and Mrs. Clara Gilliland, all of West Monroe, John Bowman, Houston, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Berdon, Lawrence, Billy and William Gray Jr., Natchez, Miss.; Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Rives, Ruston and Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Spence, Shreveport.

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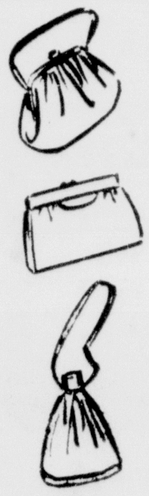
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Vows were exchanged in a setting of white gladioli and chrysanthemums in the glowing light of white tapers. Christine Grubbs was pianist and accompanied Johnny Goodwin, who sang.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was lovely in a suit of blue with blue accessories. She wore a corsage of white carnations. The bride's only attendant was her sister, Miss Dixie McDonald, who wore a dress of cream color trimmed in black with black accessories. Her corsage was of yellow carnations.

Serving the bridegroom as best man was George Grubbs. The candles were lighted by Maxine and Jerry Grubbs. Kenneth Griswold and O. A. Worsham, Jr., served as ushers.

Mrs. McDonald, mother of the bride, chose a dress of navy blue with blue accessories. Her corsage was of white carnations. Mrs. Gould, mother of the bridegroom, wore a navy blue suit with which she wore a corsage of white carnations.

Immediately following the ceremony an informal reception was held at the church. The bride's table, covered with a white linen cloth, was centered with an arrangement of white chrysanthemums. The three-tiered wedding cake was topped with a miniature bride and groom.

Mrs. Ruth Dollar, aunt of the bride, served the cake. The punch bowl was presided over by Mrs. George Harris. Further assisting was Mrs. Clyde Mott.

Following a wedding trip to Jackson, Miss., the couple will reside in Monroe.



MR. AND MRS. OSBURN GOULD



MRS. JOHN E. THORNHILL was married on December 22 in the Crowville Baptist Church at 5 o'clock in the afternoon. She is the former Miss Ann Sills, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Sills. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thornhill. Both families of Crowville.

Club Has Xmas Party In Mangham

Mangham Literary Club held its annual Christmas party in the home of Mrs. K. E. McDonald, Jr.

The entire house was decorated for the Christmas season.

The inside living room door held last year's Christmas cards and the mantel was beautiful with pine. Christmas balls and two tall green burning candles. The dining table was centered with an all white burning candle surrounded by nandina leaves and red berries.

After all members had arrived and placed their gift under the tree, Mrs. McDonald assisted by Mrs. Bob Bell, Jr., and Mrs. Lael Jones served delicious refreshments to all present.

Mrs. O. DeVille, president, asked all present to stand and recite the Pledge of Allegiance to the American flag. She then read the club bulletin from the state president.

It was decided to donate a Christmas box to be sent to the veterans.

Mrs. Jones reviewed the book written by Henry Van Dyke, "The Fourth Wise Man."

Mrs. D. B. McKay, a prospective member, was a guest of the club.

Members present were: Mrs. Bob Bell, Jr., Mrs. Reese Boies, Mrs. J. F. Boughton, Mrs. Manning Boughton, Mrs. R. B. Boughton, Mrs. Leo Cheek, Mrs. Otis Coolidge, Miss Ola Cooper. Mrs. Odelle DeVille, Mrs. Raymond Gieger, Mrs. Lael Jones, Mrs. L. Lyles, Mrs. Woodfore Marlowe, Mrs. Kenneth McDonald, Jr., Mrs. W. T. Sartor, Mrs. Charles Tillman, Mrs. Edmund Williamson, Mrs. E. Landrum, Mrs. Theo Jones and Mrs. Traylor Jones.

Hostesses for January meeting will be Mrs. Theo Jones and Mrs. Reese Boies.

Betty Womble Entertained At Shower

Miss Betty Anne Womble, bride-elect of Roy Wall, whose wedding will be an event of Monday, December 27, was entertained with a miscellaneous shower Monday night in the home of Misses Barbara and Nell Rogers in West Monroe.

Hostesses for the occasion were Miss Nell Rogers, Miss Barbara Rogers, Miss Sally Hayes, and Miss Betty Craig.

Christmas decorations were used throughout the Rogers home in honor of the wedding which is being held during the Christmas holiday season.

Miss Womble, who is from Bastrop, wore for the occasion a holiday dress of navy printed taffeta and a corsage of white carnations which was presented her by her hostesses.

Guests at the shower were: Mrs. Guy Womble, mother of the bride-elect; Miss Jo Ann Abraham, Miss Alice Montgomery, Miss Ginger Henry, Miss Milly Kelley, Miss Hildrid Adair, Miss Marilyn Musset, Mrs. T. L. Rogers, Jr.

Barton Gaars Celebrate 56th Anniversary

DODSON — Last week Mr. and Mrs. Barton Gaar celebrated their 56th wedding anniversary at their home in Dodson.

They were united in marriage on December 14, 1898 in the home of Dr. and Mrs. Horace Caldwell at Gaars Mill, six miles east of Dodson. They now have six sons and one daughter who are Dr. Malcolm Gaar, James Gaar, Baton Rouge; Gordon B. Gaar, D. E. Gaar, Monroe; A. E. Gaar, Clinton; Guy Gaar Sr., Dodson, and Mrs. Roy Dahl, West Monroe.

The late Rev. W. M. D. Gaar officiated at the services.

Mr. Gaar was born and reared in Winn parish and with the exception of three years has always resided in Winn. Mrs. Gaar the former Laura Carrol, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Carrol was born in Franklin parish, moved with her parents to Columbia when an infant and at the age of 15 came to Winn parish where she has since resided. She was 75 on April 4 and Mr. Gaar 77 on May 13.

Enjoying the dinner and conversation during the day were: Dr. and Mrs. Malcolm Gaar; Mr. and Mrs. James C. Gaar of Baton Rouge; Guy Gaar Sr., and Guy Gaar, Jr., Dodson; Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Gaar, Clinton; Mr. and Mrs. Gordon B. Gaar, and Barbara Ann; Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Gaar and Miss Lynda Gaar; all of Monroe; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dahl, Karen, Roy, Jr., and Philip of West Monroe; Mrs. Etha Pepper, West Monroe; Mrs. S. H. Gaar, Dodson. Mr. and Mrs. Gaar have 12 grandchildren and 6 great-grandchildren. All members of the family were present except two daughters-in-law and 8 grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Several friends called throughout the day and extended congratulations.

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Vows Pledged By Miss McDonald, Osburn Gould

A wedding marked by beauty and simplicity was that of Miss Jo Nita McDonald, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McDonald of Fields, and Osburn Gould, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Gould of West Monroe. The double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. C. Grubbs at the Cypress Street Church of God at seven-thirty in the evening of November 27th.

Vows were exchanged in a setting of white gladioli and chrysanthemums in the glowing light of white tapers. Christine Grubbs was pianist and accompanied Johnny Goodwin, who sang.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was lovely in a suit of blue with blue accessories. She wore a corsage of white carnations. The bride's only attendant was her sister, Miss Dixie McDonald, who wore a dress of cream color trimmed in black with black accessories. Her corsage was of yellow carnations.

Serving the bridegroom as best man was George Grubbs. The candles were lighted by Maxine and Jerry Grubbs. Kenneth Griswold and O. A. Worsham, Jr., served as ushers.

Mrs. McDonald, mother of the bride, chose a dress of navy blue with blue accessories. Her corsage was of white carnations. Mrs. Gould, mother of the bridegroom, wore a navy blue suit with which she wore a corsage of white carnations.



MR. AND MRS. OSBURN GOULD

Immediately following the ceremony an informal reception was held at the church. The bride's table, covered with a white linen cloth, was centered with an arrangement of white chrysanthemums. The three-tiered wedding cake was topped with a miniature bride and groom.

Mrs. Ruth Dollar, aunt of the bride, served the cake. The punch bowl was presided over by Mrs. George Harris. Further assisting was Mrs. Clyde Mott.

Following a wedding trip to Jackson, Miss., the couple will reside in Monroe.

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MRS. JOHN E. THORNHILL was married on December 22 in the Crowville Baptist Church at 5 o'clock in the afternoon. She is the former Miss Ann Sills, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Sills. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thornhill. Both families of Crowville.

Club Has Xmas Party In Mangham

Mangham Literary Club held its annual Christmas party in the home of Mrs. K. E. McDonald, Jr.

The entire house was decorated for the Christmas season.

The inside living room door held last year's Christmas cards and the mantel was beautiful with pine. Christmas balls and two tall green burning candles. The dining table was centered with an all white burning candle surrounded by nandina leaves and red berries.

After all members had arrived and placed their gift under the tree, Mrs. McDonald assisted by Mrs. Bob Bell, Jr., and Mrs. Lael Jones served delicious refreshments to all present.

Mrs. O. DeVille, president, asked all present to stand and recite the Pledge of Allegiance to the American flag. She then read the club bulletin from the state president.

It was decided to donate a Christmas box to be sent to the veterans.

Mrs. Jones reviewed the book written by Henry Van Dyke, "The Fourth Wise Man."

Mrs. D. B. McKay, a prospective member, was a guest of the club.

Members present were: Mrs. Bob Bell, Jr., Mrs. Reese Boies, Mrs. J. F. Boughton, Mrs. Manning Boughton, Mrs. R. B. Boughton, Mrs. Leo Cheek, Mrs. Otis Coolidge, Miss Ola Cooper. Mrs. Odelle DeVille, Mrs. Raymond Gieger, Mrs. Lael Jones, Mrs. L. Lyles, Mrs. Woodfore Marlowe, Mrs. Kenneth McDonald, Jr., Mrs. W. T. Sartor, Mrs. Charles Tillman, Mrs. Edmund Williamson, Mrs. E. Landrum, Mrs. Theo Jones and Mrs. Traylor Jones.

Hostesses for January meeting will be Mrs. Theo Jones and Mrs. Reese Boies.

Betty Womble Entertained At Shower

Miss Betty Anne Womble, bride-elect of Roy Wall, whose wedding will be an event of Monday, December 27, was entertained with a miscellaneous shower Monday night in the home of Misses Barbara and Nell Rogers in West Monroe.

Hostesses for the occasion were Miss Nell Rogers, Miss Barbara Rogers, Miss Sally Hayes, and Miss Betty Craig.

Christmas decorations were used throughout the Rogers home in honor of the wedding which is being held during the Christmas holiday season.

Miss Womble, who is from Bastrop, wore for the occasion a holiday dress of navy printed taffeta and a corsage of white carnations which was presented her by her hostesses.

Guests at the shower were: Mrs. Guy Womble, mother of the bride-elect; Miss Jo Ann Abraham, Miss Alice Montgomery, Miss Ginger Henry, Miss Milly Kelley, Miss Hildrid Adair, Miss Marilyn Musset, Mrs. T. L. Rogers, Jr.

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Barton Gaars Celebrate 56th Anniversary

DODSON — Last week Mr. and Mrs. Barton Gaar celebrated their 56th wedding anniversary at their home in Dodson.

They were united in marriage on December 14, 1898 in the home of Dr. and Mrs. Horace Caldwell at Gaars Mill, six miles east of Dodson. They now have six sons and one daughter who are Dr. Malcolm Gaar, James Gaar, Baton Rouge; Gordon B. Gaar, D. E. Gaar, Monroe; A. E. Gaar, Clinton; Guy Gaar Sr., Dodson, and Mrs. Roy Dahl, West Monroe.

The late Rev. W. M. D. Gaar officiated at the services.

Mr. Gaar was born and reared in Winn parish and with the exception of three years has always resided in Winn. Mrs. Gaar the former Laura Carrol, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Carrol was born in Franklin parish, moved with her parents to Columbia when an infant and at the age of 15 came to Winn parish where she has since resided. She was 75 on April 4 and Mr. Gaar 77 on May 13.

Enjoying the dinner and conversation during the day were: Dr. and Mrs. Malcolm Gaar; Mr. and Mrs. James C. Gaar of Baton Rouge; Guy Gaar Sr., and Guy Gaar, Jr., Dodson; Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Gaar, Clinton; Mr. and Mrs. Gordon B. Gaar, and Barbara Ann; Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Gaar and Miss Lynda Gaar; all of Monroe; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dahl, Karen, Roy, Jr., and Philip of West Monroe; Mrs. Etha Pepper, West Monroe; Mrs. S. H. Gaar, Dodson. Mr. and Mrs. Gaar have 12 grandchildren and 6 great-grandchildren. All members of the family were present except two daughters-in-law and 8 grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Several friends called throughout the day and extended congratulations.

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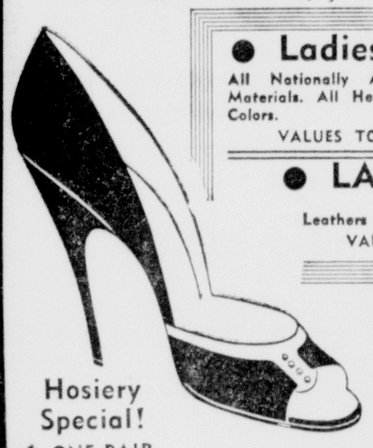
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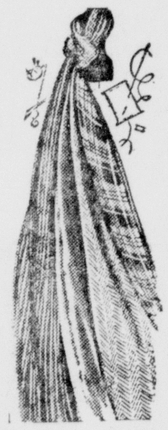
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East Carroll Garden Club Meets Tuesday

LAKE PROVIDENCE — The December meeting and Christmas party was Tuesday in the home of Mrs. E. D. Schneider at Twin Oaks. A ceiling high tree was reflected in an heirloom wall mirror. Along the mantel shelf were sprays of pyracantha anl decorated stocking for Vicki, Sally and Richard.

The refreshment table, covered with cutwork Madeira cloth was centered with a silver epergne burning tall red candles and topped with a bowl of holly berries and leaves. Mrs. W. Y. Bell and the Rev. H. Newton Griffith entertained with Mrs. Schneider.

Mrs. C. R. Brown, presiding for the business session, welcomed Mrs. R. C. Johnson, Miss Bess Bains and Mrs. P. E. Lancaster of San Antonio, Tex.

Mrs. Catherine Richards reported on the club's town lighting contest in connection with the Jaycees, and the addition of the nativity scene or spirit of Christmas added to the usual doorway, windows and outdoor decorations.

The Garden Club prayer, gift of Mrs. S. A. Holt, president of the Woman's Department Club of Oak Grove, was read.

Food sale will be held in February to raise funds for a permanent national garden home in St. Louis, Mo.

The club voted to assist with the landscaping of the East Carroll Hospital grounds, which is soon to be opened.

For the program Mrs. H. T. Van Fossen's readings were "Legend of the Poinsettia," and "The Christmas Story."

In the social hour there was an exchange of gifts and donation of food for a needy family.

Mrs. J. G. Wyly Gives Program At Woman's Club

LAKE PROVIDENCE — Program for the December meeting of the Carroll Woman's Club was impressively given by Mrs. James Grady Wyly, Jr., of Neely plantation, Madison parish. Mrs. Wyly chose to review "The Littlest Stork" and "The Other Wiseman." Mrs. W. B. Ragland, Jr., accompanied the members and guests in the singing of favorite Christmas carols.

In opening the business session Mrs. W. B. Ragland, Sr., welcomed Mrs. L. E. Medford, Memphis, Tenn., Mrs. Helen Erwin of Tallulah, and Mrs. Wyly, who was a former club member.

Mrs. R. S. Reed was named committee member to work out plans with Powell Martin Barrett Legion Auxiliary, Unit 37, of establishing classes in first aid, as requested by the LFWC. The club voted to keep the class on a local level.

Highlights were read from the monthly newsletter.

Hostesses were Mrs. Kiley Mangum and Mrs. Brady Oswalt.



DR. AND MRS. EDWIN OTIS EDGERTON of Tallulah on their golden wedding anniversary celebration at their home on Bayou Drive November 28.

Debby House Feted At Party

DODSON — Saturday afternoon Mrs. Ruby Kornegay entertained with a birthday party honoring her little granddaughter, Debby House of Minden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed House.

Delightful games were enjoyed by the celebrant and her guests: Jan and Betsy Jensen, Carol Sue Simpkins, Eavelyn and Steve Terry, Sherry House, Elaine and Dora Ann Norred, Jack and Nancy Lee, Sheryl Gary, Debra House, Mesdames Clayton J. Norred, L. T. Pennington, A. L. Terral, Hallie House, Miss Margaret Terral.

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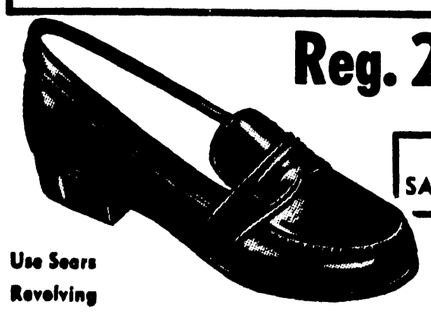
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Debby House Feted At Party

DODSON — Saturday afternoon Mrs. Ruby Kornegay entertained with a birthday party honoring her little granddaughter, Debby House of Minden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed House.

Delightful games were enjoyed by the celebrant and her guests: Jan and Betsy Jensen, Carol Sue Simpkins, Eavelyn and Steve Terry, Sherry House, Elaine and Dora Ann Norred, Jack and Nancy Lee, Sheryl Gary, Debra House, Mesdames Clayton J. Norred, L. T. Pennington, A. L. Terral, Hallie House, Miss Margaret Terral.

East Carroll Garden Club Meets Tuesday

LAKE PROVIDENCE — The December meeting and Christmas party was Tuesday in the home of Mrs. E. D. Schneider at Twin Oaks. A ceiling high tree was reflected in an heirloom wall mirror. Along the mantel shelf were sprays of pyracantha anl decorated stocking for Vicki, Sally and Richard.

The refreshment table, covered with cutwork Madeira cloth was centered with a silver epergne burning tall red candles and topped with a bowl of holly berries and leaves. Mrs. W. Y. Bell and the Rev. H. Newton Griffith entertained with Mrs. Schneider.

Mrs. C. R. Brown, presiding for the business session, welcomed Mrs. R. C. Johnson, Miss Bess Bains and Mrs. P. E. Lancaster of San Antonio, Tex.

Mrs. Catherine Richards reported on the club's town lighting contest in connection with the Jaycees, and the addition of the nativity scene or spirit of Christmas added to the usual doorway, windows and outdoor decorations.

The Garden Club prayer, gift of Mrs. S. A. Holt, president of the Woman's Department Club of Oak Grove, was read.

Food sale will be held in February to raise funds for a permanent national garden home in St. Louis, Mo.

The club voted to assist with the landscaping of the East Carroll Hospital grounds, which is soon to be opened.

For the program Mrs. H. T. Van Fossen's readings were "Legend of the Poinsettia," and "The Christmas Story."

In the social hour there was an exchange of gifts and donation of food for a needy family.

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Mrs. J. G. Wyly Gives Program At Woman's Club

LAKE PROVIDENCE — Program for the December meeting of the Carroll Woman's Club was impressively given by Mrs. James Grady Wyly, Jr., of Neely plantation, Madison parish. Mrs. Wyly chose to review "The Littlest Stork" and "The Other Wiseman." Mrs. W. B. Ragland, Jr., accompanied the members and guests in the singing of favorite Christmas carols.

In opening the business session Mrs. W. B. Ragland, Sr., welcomed Mrs. L. E. Medford, Memphis, Tenn., Mrs. Helen Erwin of Tallulah, and Mrs. Wyly, who was a former club member.

Mrs. R. S. Reed was named committee member to work out plans with Powell Martin Barrett Legion Auxiliary, Unit 37, of establishing classes in first aid, as requested by the LFWC. The club voted to keep the class on a local level.

Highlights were read from the monthly newsletter.

Hostesses were Mrs. Kiley Mangum and Mrs. Brady Oswalt.



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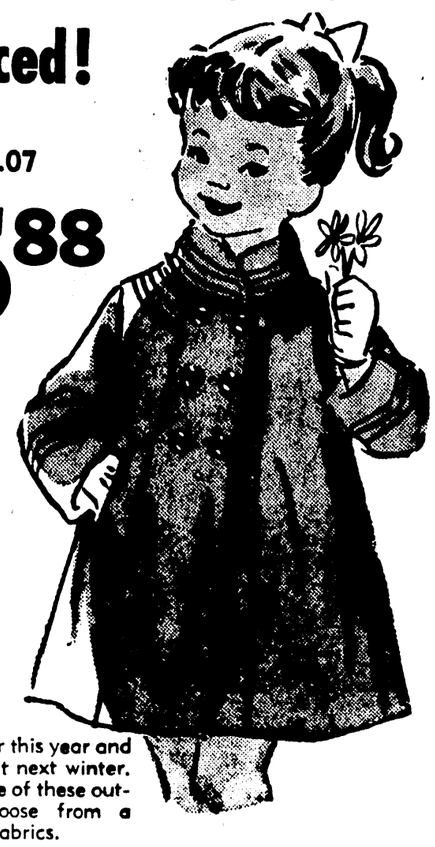
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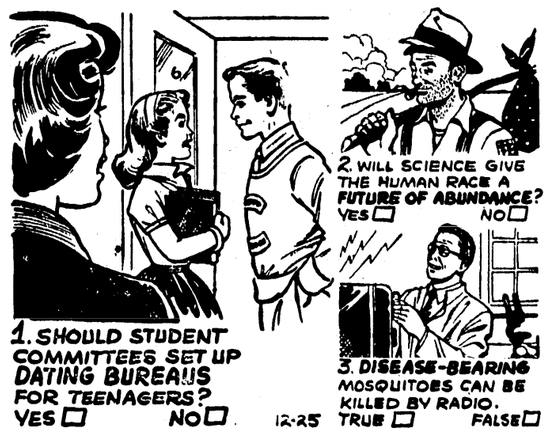
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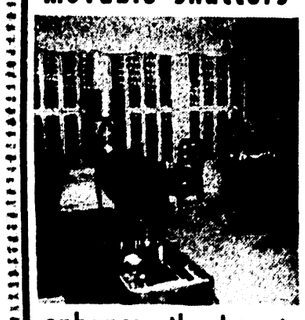
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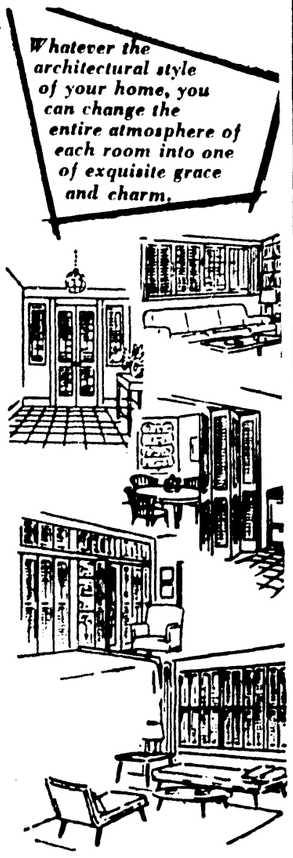
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Get your New Years resolutions in order. It's about time. See you next Sunday.

Defense Spending Divides Congress Into Two Camps

WASHINGTON (AP)—A sampling indicates members of the new 84th Congress, caught in a whirlpool of conflicting desires for economy and for greater military might, are split almost evenly on the question of boosting defense spending.

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No, 40; inclined against, 1.
Yes, 38; inclined for, 2.
Uncommitted, 54.
Total, 135 out of 531.

The lawmakers positively against included 30 Republicans, 10 Democrats. Those definitely for included 31 Democrats, 6 Republicans and independent Sen. Morse of Oregon.

They were questioned before this week's Pentagon announcement that over-all armed services manpower strength will be reduced by 403,000 in the next 18 months.

Not all those who favor putting more money into defense had specific figures in mind. Those who did mentioned increases ranging from "slight" to "about 10 billion dollars."

Several groups of legislators, in almost equal numbers, said the way they vote will depend on what President Eisenhower recommends, what America needs, proof of the needs, the state of international affairs. A few spoke up for stronger atomic defense and twice as many for more air power.

Rep. Wint Smith (R-Kan), a member of the House Armed Service Committee, said he would support increased defense spending "only for air power." Rep. Dorn (D-SC) said he is for more spending "for the Air Force only, by about five billion." Sen. Morse said he couldn't give a dollar figure but "Air Force program particularly requires additional tens of millions."

Only two members spoke of a possibility of cutting defense spending or appropriations.

Rep. Brownson (R-Ind) suggested that "we should press for more economy and efficiency in the military to make existing or reduced appropriations go further." Like Brownson, Rep. Curtis (R-Mo) voted "no" on bigger outlays, explaining: "I believe we need to obtain more defense, but this cannot be done by spending more dollars. Actually, it can be done by spending less, but more efficiently."

There have been indications that for the next fiscal year, the administration expects to spend 63 or 64 billion dollars, including perhaps 42 billions for national security.

Rep. Bolling (D-Mo) was the only congressman to go as high as 10 billions in backing higher defense outlays. Sen. Monroney (D-Okla) called for "about five billions" extra. Sen. Mansfield (D-Mont) urged enough money "to allow for 21 Army divisions, 3 Marine divisions, an adequate Navy, a 137-group Air Force."

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Why Grow Old?

By Josephine Lowman

Tired? Take A Walk And Feel Like A New Person

Time was when nearly everyone dressed up and went for a stroll down the street to see and to be seen. Our fathers called it a "constitutional" and believed that it kept them in good health and in good spirits, and it did!

It stimulated their circulation, kept them in touch with the flow of life and was convivial. It combined the benefits of physical exercise and psychosomatic medicine as we know it today.

The exercise you get doing your housework, pushing a cart about a supermarket or struggling at a bargain counter, does not bring you the same dividends. Walking outdoors can do wonders for you. It is relaxing. It clears your mind as well as your lungs and also gets you away from the tyranny of the telephone, television, radio and myriad duties and interruptions at home. No matter how important or valuable these may be it is restful to get away from them once in a while.

Few Do It

Often when we feel tired or irritable, a walk can make all of the difference in the world. We come back feeling like a new person! A change of scene is good and the fresh air and exercise even better. However, today few people walk for the sake of walking except in our big cities.

If you live in or near a small town you are apt to hop into your car to go a block to mail a letter or to buy a tube of tooth paste. On the other hand those who live in a large city are likely to combine walking with window shopping.

30 Minutes

Whenever the weather permits, see to it that you get in at least a 30 minute walk. Even in cold weather if you are properly wrapped up from head to toe you can have the loveliest and most stimulating walks of all.

Do not form the habit of looking down at the ground when you walk. Keep your head up, your abdomen in, your back straight and your shoulders and knees relaxed. Reach forward from the pelvis with each step. Breathe in deeply for ten breaths periodically while you are outdoors.

Tomorrow: "Walk and Take Time to Look Around You."

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QUICKIES By Ken Reynolds



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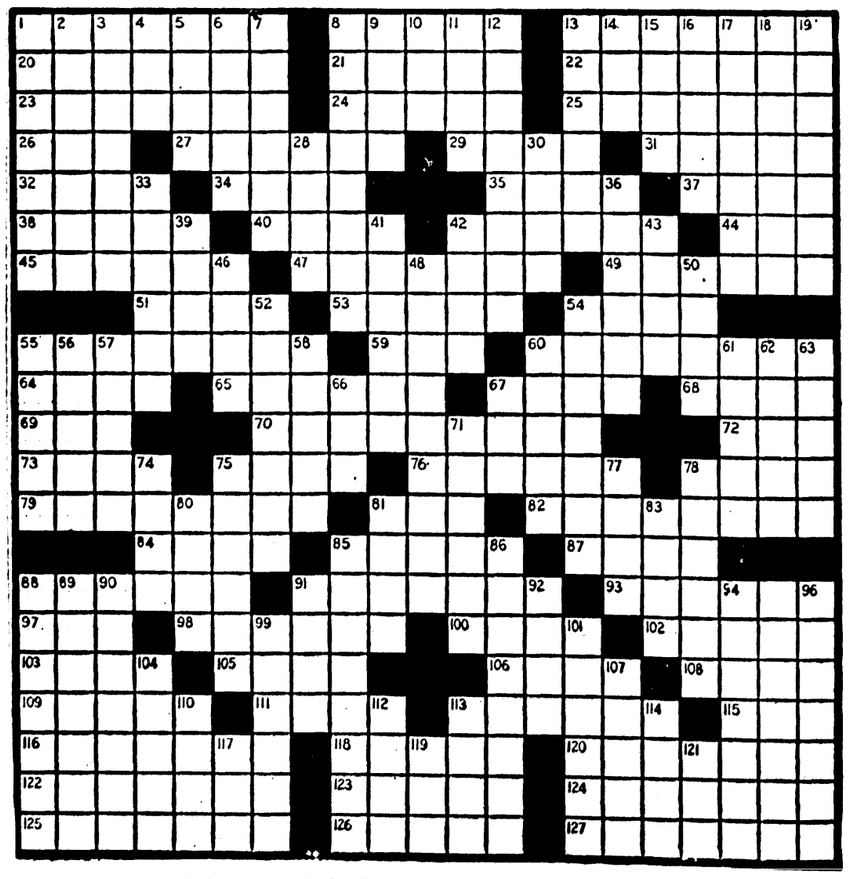
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ACROSS

1 Retirer
8 Crated
13 New Senator from Kentucky
20 Miss Coca
21 Soap plant
22 Genus of mushrooms
23 Traveled by auto
24 Theme
25 Football player
26 A follower
27 Deadly snakes
29 Malleable
31 Glossy
32 Italian money
34 Prophet
35 Platform
37 Weed
38 Indian infielder
40 Low tide
42 Rail station employee
44 Gaming cube
45 Jacket
47 Mountain climbers
49 Gallant lovers
51 Kings: Fr.
53 Racing meets
54 Singer Perry
55 Those who own nothing
59 Officeholders
60 Periodic winds, in India
64 Eager
65 Stitching
67 Mollie —— of TV
68 Outdoor roast
69 Color
70 Native of Richmond
72 Highest note
73 Ash or beech
75 Vein: anat.
76 Ten-dollar bill: Colloq.
78 Metal
79 Nylon
81 Mean dog
82 Remain inactive
84 Show contempt
85 Extinct birds
87 Springs: Abbr.
88 Oriental shrine
91 Flattened
93 Teachers
97 Poem
98 Argue
100 Desserts
102 Cap
103 Shelter
105 Bird
106 Powder
108 Where a tower is tilted
109 Inclement weather
111 Pouches
113 Kind of rope
115 Balsam.
116 Remove from base
118 Silent
120 Book by Voltaire
122 Lively: Music
123 Muse of Poetry
124 Lurer
125 Waiter, in Army
126 Eater
127 Water bugs

DOWN

1 Alike
2 Arousing sensations
3 Retinue
4 Self
5 Layer of skin
6 Man's name
7 Indians
8 Waterfall
9 TV comedian
10 Make soggy
11 Yale men
12 Decipherers
13 Sea in Europe
14 Friend: Fr.
15 Hanks of twine
16 Genuflected
17 Summer drink
18 Fruits, in aggregate
19 Casey's men
28 Insects
30 Passing fancies
33 Actor Lunt
36 Lamour's movie gown
39 Long time
41 Peeling
42 Sheeps
43 Lap dogs
46 Rivers: Sp.
48 E or W of Greenwich, Eng.
50 Bovine noises
52 Sec'y of War
54 Horns
55 Stags
56 Thrust aside
57 TV
58 Modern music
60 Intends
61 "Carmen" is one
62 Native of Upper Nile
63 Stone: Scot.
66 Mr. Gershwin
67 Storage place
71 Flower extract
74 Resound
75 Endorsed a passport
77 Attentive
78 Foot part
80 Famous pirate
81 Shelter
83 Drudge
85 Observed
86 Follower: Arch.
88 Where Truman, Attlee and Stalin met
89 Much-serenaded lady.
90 Book of Bible
91 Volcano product
92 Hero of Korean war
94 Opening
95 Dweller
96 Ogiers
99 Where Williams plays
101 Cuts
104 Entitles
107 Metallic sound
110 Empty: Scot.
112 Hindu garment
113 Particle
114 Pillar
117 Girl's name
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Dates

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The furniture refinishing workshop begins Tuesday, January 4th at 9:00 o'clock. The first day we'll remove the finish, the second day, (Jan. 5) we'll refinish with all its accompanying jobs. Some of you have enrolled and the class is still open. Please be on time both days and bring the following materials: A small piece of furniture, one quart of paint remover, some soft rags (not flannel or knit) some old newspapers, an old paint brush and a tooth brush, 000 steel wool and a package of sandpaper. It will be advisable to bring a sandwich as I don't believe we'll be through before 1:00 or 1:30 either day.

Get your New Years resolutions in order. It's about time. See you next Sunday.

Defense Spending Divides Congress Into Two Camps

WASHINGTON (AP)—A sampling indicates members of the new 84th Congress, caught in a whirlpool of conflicting desires for economy and for greater military might, are split almost evenly on the question of boosting defense spending.

Participants in an Associated Press poll lined up this way on whether such spending should be increased in comparison with the present level of about 41 billion dollars a year:

No, 40; inclined against, 1.
Yes, 38; inclined for, 2.
Uncommitted, 54.
Total, 135 out of 531.

The lawmakers positively against included 30 Republicans, 10 Democrats. Those definitely for included 31 Democrats, 6 Republicans and independent Sen. Morse of Oregon.

They were questioned before this week's Pentagon announcement that over-all armed services manpower strength will be reduced by 403,000 in the next 18 months.

Not all those who favor putting more money into defense had specific figures in mind. Those who did mentioned increases ranging from "slight" to "about 10 billion dollars."

Several groups of legislators, in almost equal numbers, said the way they vote will depend on what President Eisenhower recommends, what America needs, proof of the needs, the state of international affairs. A few spoke up for stronger atomic defense and twice as many for more air power.

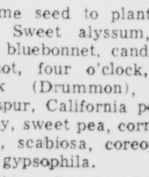
Rep. Wint Smith (R-Kan), a member of the House Armed Service Committee, said he would support increased defense spending "only for air power." Rep. Dorn (D-SC) said he is for more spending "for the Air Force only, by about five billion." Sen. Morse said he couldn't give a dollar figure but "Air Force program particularly requires additional tens of millions."

Only two members spoke of a possibility of cutting defense spending or appropriations.

Rep. Brownson (R-Ind) suggested that "we should press for more economy and efficiency in the military to make existing or reduced appropriations go further." Like Brownson, Rep. Curtis (R-Mo) voted "no" on bigger outlays, explaining: "I believe we need to obtain more defense, but this cannot be done by spending more dollars. Actually, it can be done by spending less, but more efficiently."

There have been indications that for the next fiscal year, the administration expects to spend 63 or 64 billion dollars, including perhaps 42 billions for national security.

Rep. Bolling (D-Mo) was the only congressman to go as high as 10 billions in backing higher defense outlays. Sen. Monroney (D-Okla) called for "about five billions" extra. Sen. Mansfield (D-Mont) urged enough money "to allow for 21 Army divisions, 3 Marine divisions, an adequate Navy, a 137-group Air Force."



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Why Grow Old?

By Josephine Lowman

Tired? Take A Walk And Feel Like A New Person

Time was when nearly everyone dressed up and went for a stroll down the street to see and to be seen. Our fathers called it a "constitutional" and believed that it kept them in good health and in good spirits, and it did!

It stimulated their circulation, kept them in touch with the flow of life and was convivial. It combined the benefits of physical exercise and psychosomatic medicine as we know it today.

The exercise you get doing your housework, pushing a cart about a supermarket or struggling at a bargain counter, does not bring you the same dividends. Walking outdoors can do wonders for you. It is relaxing. It clears your mind as well as your lungs and also gets you away from the tyranny of the telephone, television, radio and myriad duties and interruptions at home. No matter how important or valuable these may be it is restful to get away from them once in a while.

Few Do It

Often when we feel tired or irritable, a walk can make all of the difference in the world. We come back feeling like a new person! A change of scene is good and the fresh air and exercise even better. However, today few people walk for the sake of walking except in our big cities.

If you live in or near a small town you are apt to hop into your car to go a block to mail a letter or to buy a tube of tooth paste. On the other hand those who live in a large city are likely to combine walking with window shopping.

30 Minutes

Whenever the weather permits, see to it that you get in at least a 30 minute walk. Even in cold weather if you are properly wrapped up from head to toe you can have the loveliest and most stimulating walks of all.

Do not form the habit of looking down at the ground when you walk. Keep your head up, your abdomen in, your back straight and your shoulders and knees relaxed. Reach forward from the pelvis with each step. Breathe in deeply for ten breaths periodically while you are outdoors.

Tomorrow: "Walk and Take Time to Look Around You."

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QUICKIES By Ken Reynolds



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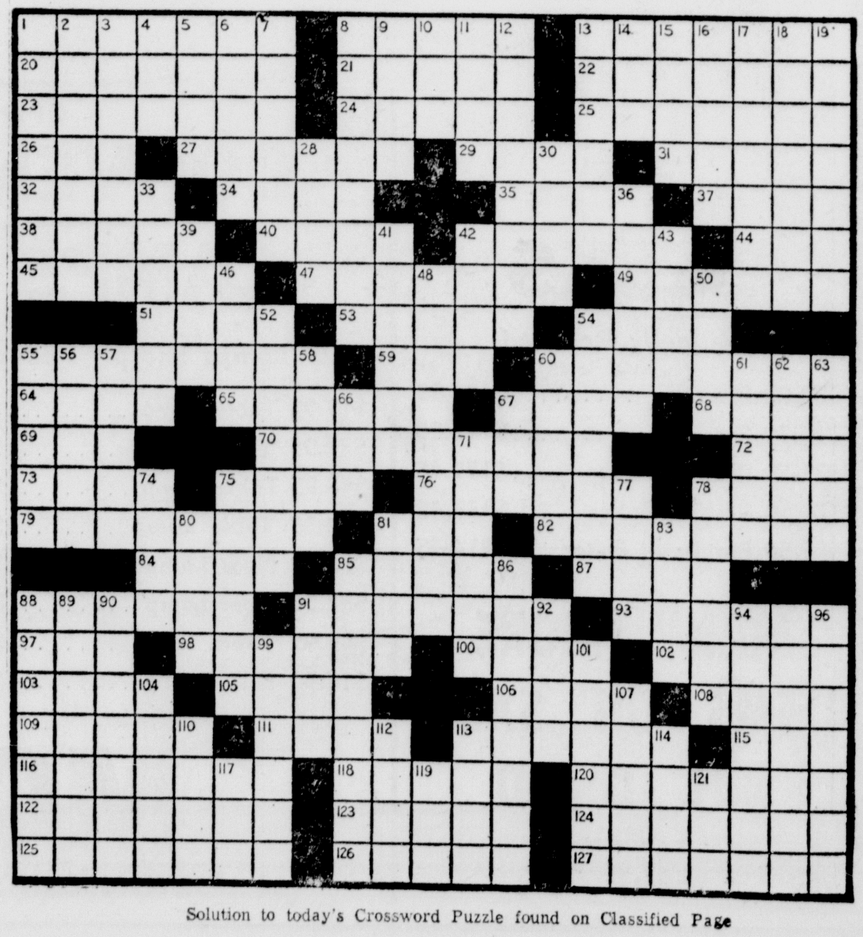
Sunday Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

1 Retirer
8 Crated
13 New Senator from Kentucky
20 Miss Coca
21 Soap plant
22 Genus of mushrooms
23 Traveled by auto
24 Theme
25 Football player
26 A follower
27 Deadly snakes
29 Malleable
31 Glossy
32 Italian money
34 Prophet
35 Platform
37 Weed
38 Indian infielder
40 Low tide
42 Rail station employee
44 Gaming cube
45 Jacket
47 Mountain climbers
49 Gallant lovers
51 Kings: Fr.
53 Racing meets
54 Singer Perry
55 Those who own nothing
59 Officeholders
60 Periodic winds, in India
64 Eager
65 Stitching
67 Mollie ——— of TV
68 Outdoor roast
69 Color
70 Native of Richmond
72 Highest note
73 Ash or beech
75 Vein: anat.
76 Ten-dollar bill: Colloq.
78 Metal
79 Nylon
81 Mean dog
82 Remain inactive
84 Show contempt
85 Extinct birds
87 Springs: Abbr.
88 Oriental shrine
91 Flattened
93 Teachers
97 Poem
98 Argue
100 Desserts
102 Cap
103 Shelter
105 Bird
106 Powder
108 Where a tower is tilted
109 Inclement weather
111 Pouches
113 Kind of rope
115 Balsam.
116 Remove from base
118 Silent
120 Book by Voltaire
122 Lively: Music
123 Muse of Poetry
124 Lurer
125 Waiter, in Army
126 Eater
127 Water bugs

DOWN

1 Alike
2 Arousing sensations
3 Retinue
4 Self
5 Layer of skin
6 Man's name
7 Indians
8 Waterfall
9 TV comedian
10 Make soggy
11 Yale men
12 Decipherers
13 Sea in Europe
14 Friend: Fr.
15 Hanks of twine
16 Genuflected
17 Summer drink
18 Fruits, in aggregate
19 Casey's men
28 Insects
30 Passing fancies
33 Actor Lunt
36 Lamour's movie gown
39 Long time
41 Peeling
42 Steeps
43 Lap dogs
46 Rivers: Sp.
48 E or W of Greenwich, Eng.
50 Bovine noises
52 Sec'y of War
54 Horns
55 Stags
56 Thrust aside
57 TV
58 Modern music
60 Intends
61 "Carmen" is one
62 Native of Upper Nile
63 Stone: Scot.
66 Mr. Gershwin
67 Storage place
71 Flower extract
74 Resound
75 Endorsed a passport
77 Attentive
78 Foot part
80 Famous pirate
81 Shelter
83 Drudge
85 Observed
86 Follower: Arch.
88 Where Truman, Attlee and Stalin met
89 Much-serenaded lady.
90 Book of Bible
91 Volcano product
92 Hero of Korean war
94 Opening
95 Dweller
96 Oglers
99 Where Williams plays
101 Cuts
104 Entitles
107 Metallic sound
110 Empty: Scot.
112 Hindu garment
113 Particle
114 Pillar
117 Girl's name
119 Preserve
121 Spoken: Fr.



Solution to today's Crossword Puzzle found on Classified Page

At The Theatres

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COLOR CARTOON—NEWS

'Athena' Is Gay Color Musical With Big Cast

Described as M-G-M's salute to youth, music and romance, "Athena," lilting new color musical, now showing at the Jim Theatre with a banner cast of stars comprising Jane Powell, Edmund Purdom, Debbie Reynolds, Vic Damone and Louis Calhern, with Linda Christian, Evelyn Varden and Ray Collins in featured supporting roles.

A double-romance plot, teaming Miss Powell and Purdom and Miss Reynolds and Damone, respectively, in songs, dances and kisses, "Athena" is as filled with laughs as it is with music and lyrics. It tells the story of a zany family of health addicts and worshipers at the shrines of numerology and astrology, whose daughters place their faith in the stars in order to get the husbands of their dreams.

Jane Powell has another singing role to compare with her big hit in "Seven Brides for Seven Brothers." Edmund Purdom, Hollywood's overnight star, comes to the new picture from his critically - acclaimed work in "The Student Prince" and "The Egyptian," while Debbie Reynolds recently scored in "Susan Slept Here." Vic Damone makes his first appearance on the screen since completing his service with the Army.

Playing a 78-year-old physical culture enthusiast who dedicates his life to creating a perfect male

lor.

Starts Wednesday: "Destry" starring Audie Murphy, Mari Blanchard, Lyle Bettger and Lori Nelson. The West's best loved story of the man without a gun. In color by Technicolor.

Next Attraction: "So This Is Paris" starring Tony Curtis and Gloria DeHaven. In color.

Paramount Theatre

Now showing: Irving Berlin's "White Christmas" starring Bing Crosby, Danny Kaye, Rosemary Clooney and Vera Ellen. Filmed in Vista-Vision and color by Technicolor.

Starting at 6 p.m. Friday, New Years Day: Dean Martin and Jerry Lewis in "Three Ring Circus" filmed in Vista-Vision and color by Technicolor.

Saturday Midnight Show: "The Violent Men" starring Glenn Ford, Barbara Stanwick and Edward G. Robinson, filmed in CinemaScope and color by Technicolor.

RADIO

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SUNDAY

KLIC—1230 KC
MBS—250 Watts

8:55—Sign On
6:00—News
6:05—Musical Memories
6:45—News
7:00—The Quartet Sings
7:15—Morning Melodies
7:30—Pleasant Platters
8:00—Church of God Hour
8:30—Assembly of God Ch.
9:00—Church of Christ
9:15—Quartet Time
9:30—Voice of Prophecy
10:00—Music Easy Listening
10:30—Back to God
11:00—Parkview Baptist
12:00—N'Time Melodies
12:30—Lutheran Hour
1:00—Professional Football
1:15—Bandstand USA
1:30—Xmas in Sun Country
2:00—Sentenced
2:30—John Steele, Adevn.
2:45—Here's To Vets
3:00—Here's To Vets
3:15—Forward March
2:30—John Steele, Adventr.
3:00—Here's To Vets
3:15—Forward March
3:30—Musical Clock
4:00—The Shadow
4:30—True Detective
4:50—Cecil Brown
5:00—Nick Carter
5:30—Bob Considine
5:45—Harry Wismer
6:00—Melody Lane
6:30—Family Theater
7:00—Let's Go To Town
7:15—Your Navy Show
7:30—Candlelight & Silver
8:00—Parkview Bapt. Ch.
8:30—Platter Parade
9:00—Showcase of Hits
9:30—Concert In Jazz
10:00—Hour Of Decision
10:30—W'Peg Sun. Concert
11:00—Joytul Hour
11:45—Just Good List'ng
11:55—News
12:00—SIGN OFF

KMLB—1440 KC
ABC—5,000 Watts Day—1,000 Watts Night—KMLB-FM 104.1 MC

6:00—News, Sunday Music
6:05—Music For Sunday
6:15—Your Hymns & Mine
6:30—News, Hymns
6:38—Music For Sunday
6:45—Hour of St. Francis
7:00—Protestant Hour
7:30—World News
7:40—Sunday School Lesson
7:55—Louisiana News
8:00—Brotherhood Hour
8:30—Light & Life Hour
9:00—First Baptist Church
9:30—News, Negro Choir
9:35—Negro College Choir
10:00—Grace Episcopal
10:15—Your Man Sunday
10:30—News,
10:35—Message of Israel
11:00—First Presby. Church
12:00—World News
12:15—Serenade In Blue
12:05—World News
12:30—Musical Questions
1:00—News,
1:05—Bowling Hilites
1:15—Reserved For You
1:30—Check & Doub. Check
2:00—Herald of Truth
2:30—Hour of Decision
3:00—Revival
4:00—Youth on the March
4:25—Week End News
4:30—Greatest Story
5:00—Tomorrow's Headlines
5:15—Guy Lombardo
5:30—Vocal Varieties
5:45—Guest Star
6:00—News,
6:15—George Sokolsky
6:30—News
6:36—Living Rm. Frolics
7:35—Living Room rolics
8:00—Walter Winchell
8:15—Taylor Grant
8:30—Highway Frolics
8:45—Hiway Frolics, News
8:55—Week End News
9:00—Paul Harvey
9:15—Elmer Davis
9:30—Beyond the Stars
9:55—Sunday Melodies
10:00—News,
10:05—World News
10:15—Moods in Melodies
10:30—Revival Time
11:00—News,
11:15—Music in the Nite
11:55—Late News
12:00—Sine

KNOE—1390 KC
NBC—5,000 Watts

6:30—Eye Opener News
6:35—Concert Miniature
6:45—Reverend Keal
7:15—The Missionairs
7:30—Ray Bloch Show
8:00—World News Roundup
8:15—Proof Christ, S. Heals
8:30—Voice of the South
9:00—National Radio Pulpit
9:30—Drew Pearson's Col.
9:40—Sacred Hymn Time
9:55—News
10:00—Sun. Morn. Hit P'rade
11:00—Brownsville Methodist
11:30—The Eternal Light
12:00—News
12:15—Art of Living
12:30—Sunday Serenade
1:00—News
1:05—Sunday Afternoon
1:30—Sunday Afternoon
2:00—Weekend
4:00—Inheritance
4:30—Dennis Day Show
5:00—News and Sports
5:15—Drew Pearson
5:30—Voices, Events of '54
6:30—The Gift
6:55—Travel Bureau
7:00—Dr. Six Gun
7:30—Barrie Craig
8:00—The Abbotts
8:30—Easy Money
9:00—Fibber McGee, Molly
9:15—The Great Gliders'eve
9:30—Evening Meditations
10:00—Ten O'clock Edition
10:15—Here's To Veterans
10:30—Meet the Press
11:00—Late Edition News
11:05—Late Date With "D"
11:55—News
12:00—SIGN OFF

KWKH—1130 KC
CBS—50,000 Watts—KWKH-FM 94.5 MC

6:00—News, Chapel Church
6:15—Echoes of Zion
6:30—Negro Farm News
6:45—Southland Melodies
7:00—Protestant Radio
7:30—Gathering Drake
8:00—Let's Read Funnies
8:30—Jimmie Davis
8:45—Catholic Hour, News
9:00—Church of The Air
9:30—Church of the Air
10:00S. L. City Tab. Choir
10:30—1st Presbyterian Ch.
11:00—St. Marks Ch.
11:00—Episcopal Church
12:00—Top Ten
12:30—News, Top Ten
12:45—News
1:00—Symphonette
1:30—N. Y. Philharmonic
3:00—News-Sun After'n.
4:00—News-On Sun. Aft'n.
4:15—Don Ewing
4:30—On a Sunday aftern'n
4:45—Sun. After'n.-News
5:00—Gene Autrey
5:30—Hallmark Radio
5:45—Hall of Fame
6:00—Jack Benny
6:30—Amos 'N Andy
7:00—Our Miss Brooks
7:30—My Little Margie
8:00—Edgar Bergen
9:00—Gene Autry
9:30—Two For The Money
10:00—Collins, News
10:15—Christophers
10:30—Night of Music
11:30—Night of Music
12:00—News-Night of Music
12:15—Night of Music
1:00—News
1:05—Sine

KTRY—Bastrop

8:00—Sign On
6:05—Quartette of the Week
7:00—News
7:05—Bible Readings
7:45—Jeffress Quartet
8:15—Assembly of God Ch.
8:45—Gospel News
9:00—Christian Brotherhood
9:30—Lakeside Quartet
10:00—Gospel Parade
10:45—Serenade in Blue
11:00—KTRY Church Of Air
12:00—Sunday Special
12:15—Reserved for You
12:30—News
12:45—Guest Star
1:00—News
1:05—Central Ch. of Christ
1:30—Music
2:00—The Bible Hour
2:15—Hour of St. Francis
2:30—Band Stand
2:45—Eddie Howard
3:00—Rev. Ira Patterson
3:05—Harmonizing Time
3:30—The Catholic Hour
4:30—Central Missionary
4:45—News
5:00—Sign Off

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Sunday

KNOE-TV—Channel 8

8:45—Test Pat., & Sign On
9:00—Lamp Unto My Feet
9:30—Look Up & Live
10:00—To Be Announced
10:30—What's Your Trouble
10:45—Selected Film
10:45—Morning Movie
11:00—Winky Dink & You
11:30—American Inventory
12:00—Youth Wants to Know
12:30—Sunday Edition
12:45—Professional Football
3:45—Bowl Preview
4:00—Superman
4:30—Homes & Handicraft
5:00—Jaycee Roundtable
5:30—Burns & Allen
6:00—People Are Funny
6:30—Jack Benny
7:00—Toast of the Town
8:00—Fred Waring
8:30—Loretta Young Show
9:00—Father Knows Best
9:30—Meet Corliss Archer
10:00—Break the Bank
10:30—The Hunter
11:00—Drew Pearson
11:15—News, Weather
11:20—SIGN OFF

WSLI-TV, Jackson, Miss.—Channel 12

12:15—Faith For Today
12:45—Big League Football
1:00—Pro Football
3:45—Scoreboard
4:00—Cen. Miss. Quartet
4:30—The Christophers
5:00—Story Portrait
5:30—What One Can Do
5:45—Sunday Showtime
7:00—Flight No. 7
7:30—The Big Picture
8:00—Melvyn Douglas
8:30—Soldier Parade
9:00—Break The Bank

WLBT-TV, Jackson, Miss.—Channel 3

11:15—Brinkley's Newsroom
11:30—American Inventory
12:00—Youth Wants to Know
12:30—Frontiers of Faith
1:00—There Goes Kelly
2:00—Amahl and Night Vs.
2:30—American Forum
3:00—Big Picture
3:30—Zoo Parade
4:00—Werlein's
4:30—Background
5:00—Ramar of the Jungle
5:30—Annie Oakley
6:00—People are Funny
6:30—Stories of the Century
7:00—Comedy Hour
8:00—TV Playhouse
9:00—Loretta Young
9:30—Ellery Queen
10:00—Ans. To Your Ques.
10:15—News
10:30—Strange Imperson.

59,000,000 Dollars For Churches

New church construction in November totalled $59,000,000, a new record for a single month, the departments of labor and commerce reported. This was a million dollars more than in October.

Church construction for the first 11 months of the year was in total of $531,000,000. The record for 1953 was 100 million dollars less than this figure.

It has been an unusually excellent year for the construction of new churches nation wide.

Cook a half a pound of macaroni and drain it; then mix with 2 cups of medium white sauce and ¾ cup of grated sharp cheddar cheese. Bake in a moderate oven until very hot and bubbly.

If you want your pie shells to be crispy, put them away under a loose cover or put a piece of waxed paper over them.

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Martin, Lewis Star In New '3-Ring Circus'

Dean Martin and Jerry Lewis, those two rollicking ambassadors of mirth and merry mayhem, are at it again. This time it is Paramount's new Vista Vision fun fest, "Three Ring Circus," which is due to open New Year's Eve at 6 a.m. and run through the midnight show at the Paramount Theatre.

"Three Ring Circus" is set against the colorful background of an honest-to-goodness circus and Dean and Jerry are in their glory. Never before in their amazing careers have they been presented with a more magnificent frame to show off their almost unbelievable talents. "In the fast-paced comedy Jerry portrays the role of a young ex-soldier whose one ambition in life is to become a circus clown. Under the GI bill he gets his opportunity to reach this ambition by hiring out as an apprentice lion tamer. His best friend, Dean, followed along for lack of anything else to do and acquires a job as a roustabout.

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Paramount Theatre

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A double-romance plot, teaming Miss Powell and Purdom and Miss Reynolds and Damone, respectively, in songs, dances and kisses, "Athena" is as filled with laughs as it is with music and lyrics. It tells the story of a zany family of health addicts and worshipers at the shrines of numerology and astrology, whose daughters place their faith in the stars in order to get the husbands of their dreams.

Jane Powell has another singing role to compare with her big hit in "Seven Brides for Seven Brothers." Edmund Purdom, Hollywood's overnight star, comes to the new picture from his critically - acclaimed work in "The Student Prince" and "The Egyptian," while Debbie Reynolds recently scored in "Susan Slept Here." Vic Damone makes his first appearance on the screen since completing his service with the Army.

Playing a 78-year-old physical culture enthusiast who dedicate his life to creating a perfect male to enter a "Mr. Universe" contest, Louis Calhern's role is in striking contrast to his characterizations in "Executive Suite" and "Julius Caesar." This role is built strictly for laughs.

Two of the prefect specimens whom he molds are Steve Reeves, famous as "Mr. America of 1947," "Mr. World of 1949" and "Mr. Universe of 1950," and Richard Sabre, "Mr. New York State," "Mr. Atlantic Coast" and runner-up in the "Mr. America of 1953" contest.

The "Athena" musical score, written by Hugh Martin and Ralph Blane, features new numbers destined for Hit Parade honors. They are "Love Can Change the Stars," "Imagine," "Venezia," "Vocalize," "Harmonize," "I Never Felt Better" and "The Girl Next Door."

The picture was directed by Richard Thorpe and was produced by Joe Pasternak, the director-producer team of such hits as "The Student Prince" and "The Great Caruso."

59,000,000 Dollars For Churches

New church construction in November totalled $59,000,000. a new record for a single month, the departments of labor and commerce reported. This was a million dollars more than in October.

Church construction for the first 11 months of the year was in total of $531,000,000. The record for 1953 was 100 million dollars less than this figure.

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SUNDAY

KLIC—1230 KC

MBS—250 Watts

5:55—Sign On
6:00—News
6:05—Musical Memories
6:45—News
7:00—The Quartet Sings
7:15—Morning Melodies
7:30—Pleasant Platters
8:00—Church of God Hour
8:30—Assembly of God Ch.
9:00—Church of Christ
9:15—Quartet Time
9:30—Voice of Prophecy
10:00—Music Easy Listening
10:30—Back to God
11:00—Parkview Baptist
12:00—N'Time Melodies
12:30—Lutheran Hour
1:00—Professional Football
1:15—Bandstand USA
1:30—Xmas in Sun Country
2:00—Sentenced
2:30—John Steele, Adevn.
2:45—Here's To Vets
3:00—Here's To Vets
3:15—Forward March
2:30—John Steele, Adventr.
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3:15—Forward March
3:30—Musical Clock
4:00—The Shadow
4:30—True Detective
4:50—Cecil Brown
5:00—Nick Carter
5:30—Bob Considine
5:45—Earry Wismer
6:00—Melody Lane
6:30—Family Theater
7:00—Let's Go To Town
7:15—Your Navy Show
7:30—Candlelight & Silver
8:00—Parkview Bapt. Ch.
8:30—Platter Parade
9:00—Showcase of Hits
9:30—Concert In Jazz
10:00—Hour Of Decision
10:30—W'Peg Sun. Concert
11:00—Joyful Hour
11:45—Just Good List'ng
11:55—News
12:00—SIGN OFF

KMLB—1440 KC

ABC—5,000 Watts Day—1,000 Watts Night—KMLB-FM 104.1 MC

6:00—News, Sunday Music
6:05—Music For Sunday
6:15—Your Hymns & Mine
6:30—News, Hymns
6:35—Music For Sunday
6:45—Hour of St. Francis
7:00—Protestant Hour
7:30—World News
7:40—Sunday School Lesson
7:55—Louisiana News
8:00—Brotherhood Hour
8:30—Light & Life Hour
9:00—First Baptist Church
9:30—News, Negro Choir
9:35—Negro College Choir
10:00—Grace Episcopal
10:15—Your Man Sunday
10:30—News,
10:35—Message of Israel
11:00—First Presby. Church
12:00—World News
12:15—Serenade In Blue
12:05—World News
12:30—Musical Questions
1:00—News,
1:05—Bowling Hillites
1:15—Reserved For You
1:30—Check & Doub. Check
2:00—Herald of Truth
2:30—Hour of Decision
3:00—Revival
4:00—Youth on the March
4:25—Week End News
4:30—Greatest Story
5:00—Tomorrow's Headlines
5:15—Guy Lombardo
5:30—Vocal Varieties
5:45—Guest Star
6:00—News,
6:15—George Sokolsky
6:30—News
6:35—Living Rm. Frolics
7:35—Living Room rolics
8:00—Walter Winchell
8:15—Taylor Grant
8:30—Highway Frolics
8:45—Hiway Frolics, News
8:55—Week End News
9:00—Paul Harvey
9:15—Elmer Davis
9:30—Beyond the Stars
9:55—Sunday Melodies
10:00—News,
10:05—World News
10:15—Moods in Melodies
10:30—Revival Time
11:00—News,
11:15—Music in the Nite
11:55—Late News
12:00—Sine

KNOE—1390 KC

NBC—5,000 Watts

6:30—Eye Opener News
6:35—Concert Miniature
6:45—Reverend Keal
7:15—The Missionairs
7:30—Ray Bloch Show
8:00—World News Roundup
8:15—Proof Christ. S. Heals
8:30—Voice of the South
9:00—National Radio Pulpit
9:30—Drew Pearson's Col.
9:40—Sacred Hymn Time
9:55—News
10:00—Sun. Morn. Hit P'rade
11:00—Brownsville Methodist
11:30—The Eternal Light
12:00—News
12:15—Art of Living
12:30—Sunday Serenade
1:00—News
1:05—Sunday Afternoon
1:30—Sunday Afternoon
2:00—Weekend
4:00—Inheritance
4:30—Dennis Day Show
5:00—News and Sports
5:15—Drew Pearson
5:30—Voices, Events of '54
6:30—The Gift
6:55—Travel Bureau
7:00—Dr. Six Gun
7:30—Barrie Craig
8:00—The Abbotts
8:30—Easy Money
9:00—Fibber McGee, Molly
9:15—The Great Gilders'eve
9:30—Evening Meditations
10:00—Ten O'clock Edition
10:15—Here's To Veterans
10:30—Meet the Press
11:00—Late Edition News
11:05—Late Date With "D"
11:55—News
12:00—SIGN OFF

KWKH—1130 KC

CBS—50,000 Watts—KWKH-FM 94.5 MC

6:00—News, Chapel Church
6:15—Echoes of Zion
6:30—Negro Farm News
6:45—Southland Melodies
7:00—Protestant Radio
7:30—Gathering Drake
8:00—Let's Read Funnies
8:30—Jimmie Davis
8:45—Catholic Hour, News
9:00—Church of The Air
9:30—Church of the Air
10:00S. L. City Tab. Choir
10:30—1st Presbyterian Ch.
11:00—St. Marks Ch.
11:00—Episcopal Church
12:00—Top Ten
12:30—News, Top Ten
12:45—News
1:00—Symphonette
1:30—N. Y. Philharmonic
3:00—News-Sun After'n.
4:00—News-On Sun. Aft'n.
4:15—Don Ewing
4:30—On a Snnday aftern'n
4:45—Sun. After'n.-News
5:00—Gene Autrey
5:30—Hallmark Radio
5:45—Hall of Fame
6:00—Jack Benny
6:30—Amos 'N Andy
7:00—Our Miss Brooks
7:30—My Little Margie
8:00—Edgar Bergen
9:00—Gene Autry
9:30—Two For The Money
10:00—Collins, News
10:15—Christophers
10:30—Night of Music
11:30—Night of Music
12:00—News-Night of Music
12:15—Night of Music
1:00—News
1:05—Sine

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6:00—Sign On
6:05—Quartette of the Week
7:00—News
7:05—Bible Readings
7:45—Jeffress Quartet
8:15—Assembly of God Ch.
8:45—Gospel News
9:00—Christian Brotherhood
9:30—Lakeside Quartet
10:00—Gospel Parade
10:45—Serenade in Blue
11:00—KTRY Church Of Air
12:00—Sunday Special
12:15—Reserved for You
12:30—News
12:45—Guest Star
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1:05—Central Ch. of Christ
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2:15—Hour of St. Francis
2:30—Band Stand
2:45—Eddie Howard
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3:05—Harmonizing Time
3:30—The Catholic Hour
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4:45—News
5:00—Sign Off

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8:45—Test Pat., & Sign On
9:00—Lamp Unto My Feet
9:30—Look Up & Live
10:00—To Be Announced
10:30—What's Your Trouble
10:45—Selected Film
10:45—Morning Movie
11:00—Winky Dink & You
11:30—American Inventory
12:00—Youth Wants to Know
12:30—Sunday Edition
12:45—Professional Football
3:45—Bowl Preview
4:00—Superman
4:30—Homes & Handicraft
5:00—Jaycee Roundtable
5:30—Burns & Allen
6:00—People Are Funny
6:30—Jack Benny
7:00—Toast of the Town
8:00—Fred Waring
8:30—Loretta Young Show
9:00—Father Knows Best
9:30—Meet Corliss Archer
10:00—Break the Bank
10:30—The Hunter
11:00—Drew Pearson
11:15—News, Weather
11:20—SIGN OFF

WSLI-TV, Jackson, Miss.—Channel 12

12:15—Faith For Today
12:45—Big League Football
1:00—Pro Football
3:45—Scoreboard
4:00—Cen. Miss. Quartet
4:30—The Christophers
5:00—Story Portrait
5:30—What One Can Do
5:45—Sunday Showtime
7:00—Flight No. 7
7:30—The Big Picture
8:00—Melvyn Douglas
8:30—Soldier Parade
9:00—Break The Bank

WLBT-TV, Jackson, Miss.—Channel 3

11:15—Brinkley's Newsroom
11:30—American Inventory
12:00—Youth Wants to Know
12:30—Frontiers of Faith
1:00—There Goes Kelly
2:00—Amahl and Night iVs.
2:30—American Forum
3:00—Big Picture
3:30—Zoo Parade
4:00—Werlein's
4:30—Background
5:00—Ramar of the Jungle
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In Hollywood



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By JUNE FORAY
(Guest Columnist)

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But allow me to explain. Few businesses, or professions, if you prefer, are as exacting and as devitalizing as work in motion pictures and allied fields. Probably few of the fans realize this fact but nevertheless, it's definitely true. The long hours, erratic in many instances, are wearing and tearing and the tensions involved are really great. And that split-second timing which often is required takes its toll in nerves and energy. On the screen it may look all so easy and relaxed but actually it's far different on the set and in the studios.

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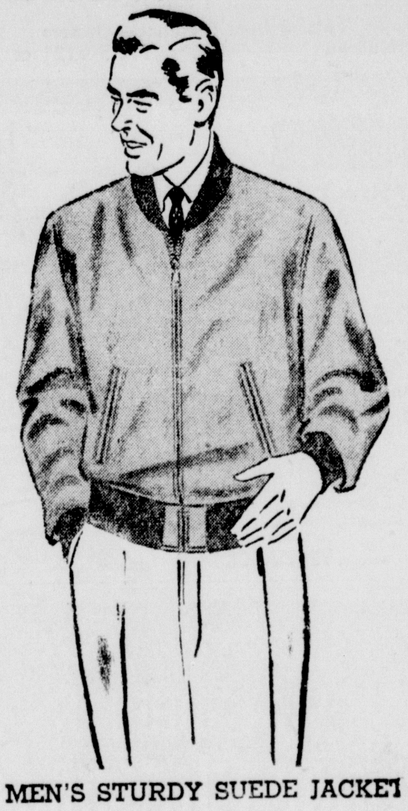
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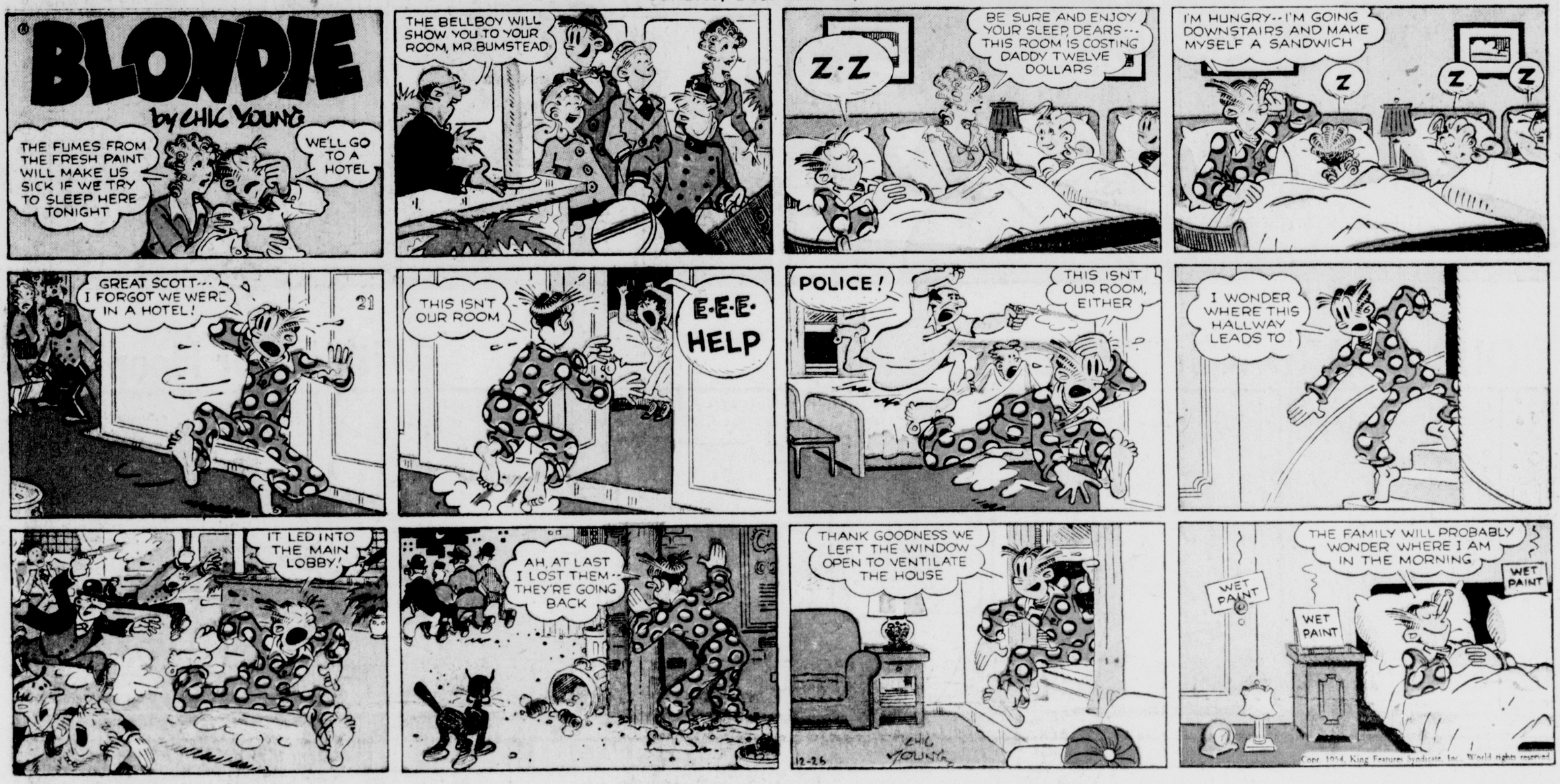
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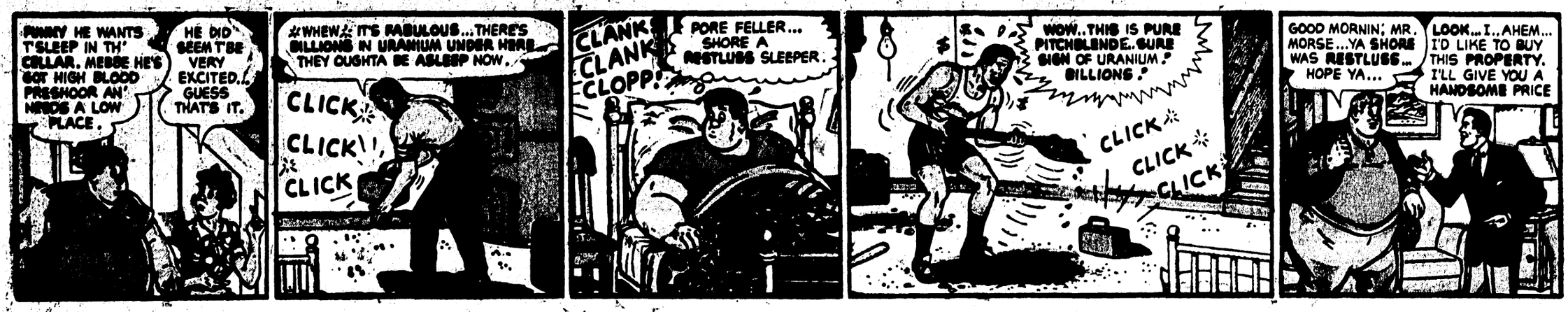
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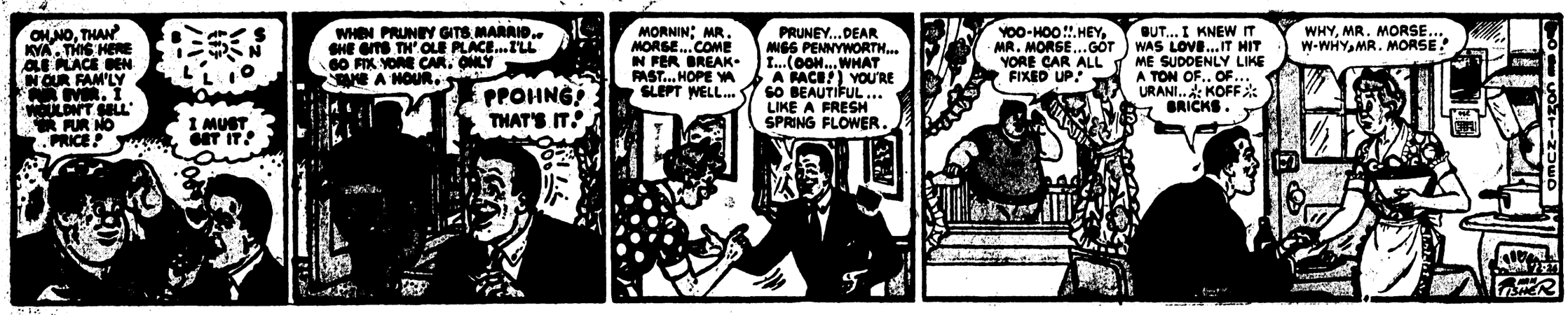


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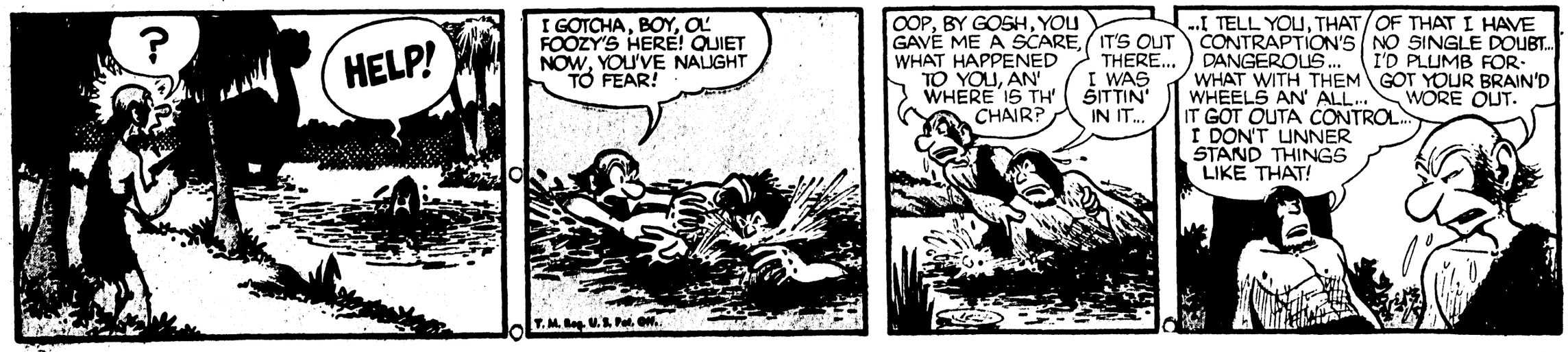
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I MUST WARN YOU, MR. SWEENEY, IT ISN'T ALL CLEAR PROFIT. THERE ARE A FEW LITTLE ITEMS TO TAKE CARE OF, SUCH AS TAXES.

AH, WELL! WHAT'S A FEW DOLLARS HERE AND THERE? I'M STILL A MILLIONAIRE.

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THE KATZENJAMMER KIDS

FOIST IT VAS SAND IN DER CLAMS UND NOW IT ISS SAND IN DER SPINNITCH

I'M DOING THE BEST I CAN WHILE MRS. KAY AND MISS TWIDDLE ARE GONE

CHUST FOR DOT, I MAKE YOU EAT EFERY DOD-ROTTED LEAF IN DER WHOLE BOWL

NO, CAPTAIN, PLEASE!

EFERY LEAF, I SAID

NOW DERE BETTER NOT BE ENY SAND IN DOT PUDDIN'

THERE ISN'T...

HUH! SAND FROM DER CEILING! VOT GIFS?

I-I-D-DIDN'T D-D-DO IT, CAPTAIN

UF ALL DER DOD-ROTTED MONKEY BIZNESS!

GLUE!! ALVAYS DOD-ROTTED GLUE!

..UND MORE DOD-ROTTED SAND!

WINNER

VELL, DO YOU APOLOCHIZE TO SVEET LIDDLE LENA, CAPTAIN, OR DOES DER SAND KEEP ON COMING?

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The PHANTOM

I KNOW YOUR JOB IS FINISHED, TRIGGER, BUT CAN'T WE GO BACK TO TOWN TOGETHER?

NOPE, WELLS. YOU GO YOUR WAY, I'LL GO MINE. I'M IN A HURRY.

POOR WELLS. MADE A HUGE BET WITH SOMEONE IN TOWN ABOUT THE DIAMOND CUP~~

~~BUT I COULDN'T LET HIM TAKE THE CUP TO WIN HIS BET. THE CUP MUST NEVER LEAVE THIS CAVE~~

THE CUP~~ GONE! WELLS~~!

TRIGGER IS AN ODD ONE~GOOD GUIDE, BUT WHY DID HE LEAVE SO FAST? OH, WELL~~

I'VE GOT TO FACE LORGEN AND PAY OFF THE BET.

SUDDENLY~SILENTLY~OUT OF THE BUSHES~ WELLS IS SURROUNDED.

~~PYGMIES~WHERE DID YOU ALL COME FROM~~? THOUGHT YOU LEFT US AT THE EDGE OF THE DEEP WOODS~

THE DEADLY PYGMIES ARE NO LONGER FRIENDLY~BUT ROUGH AND SILENT AS THEY CARRY HIM BACK TO THE DEEP WOODS!

HEY~WHAT IS THIS? WHAT DID I DO?

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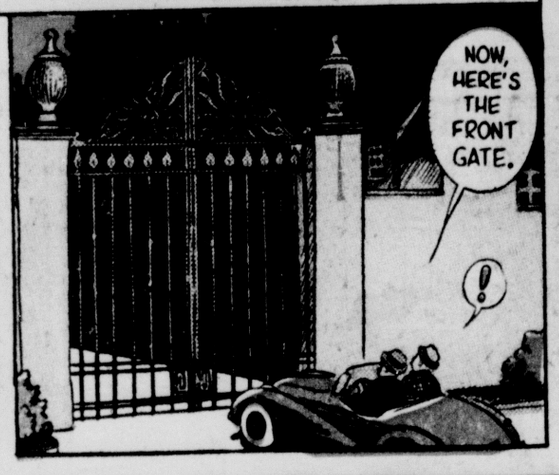
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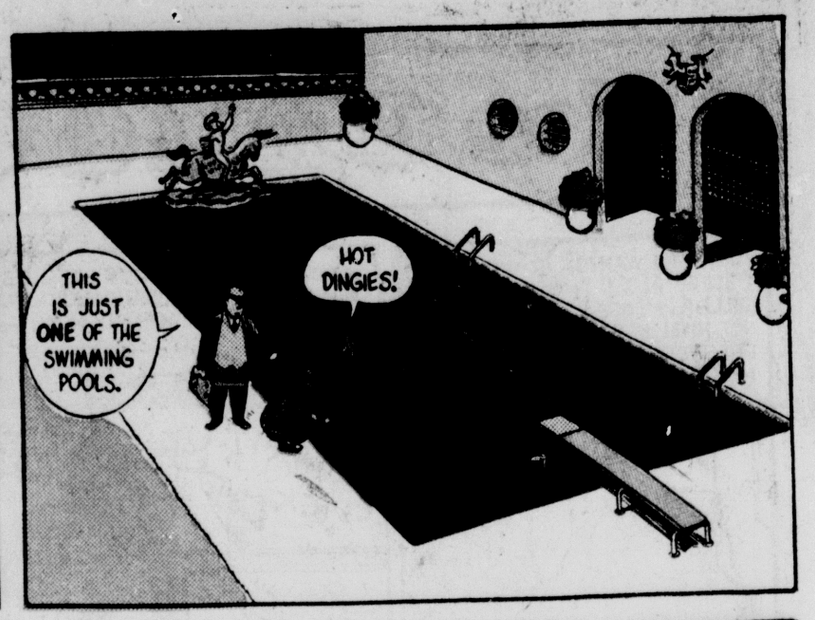
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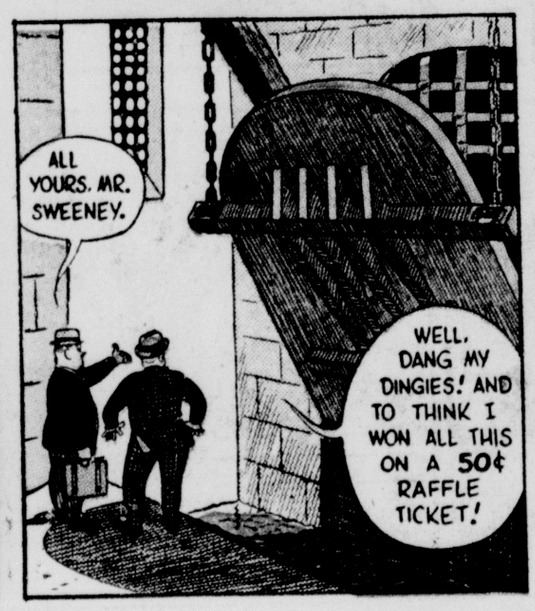




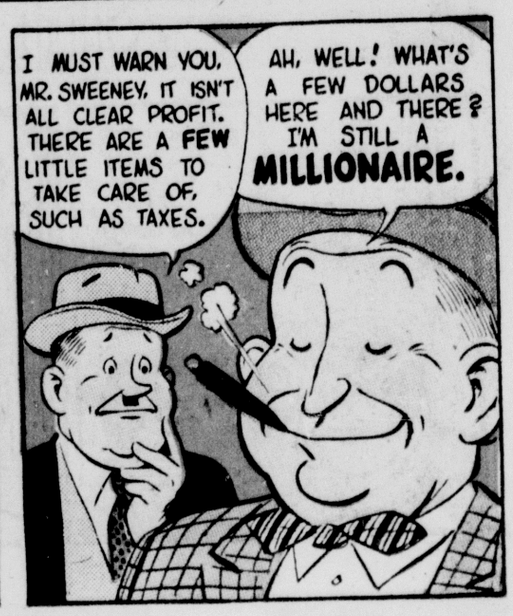












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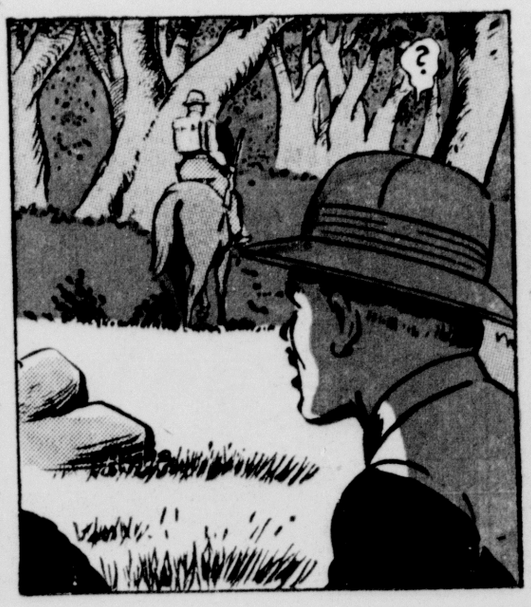
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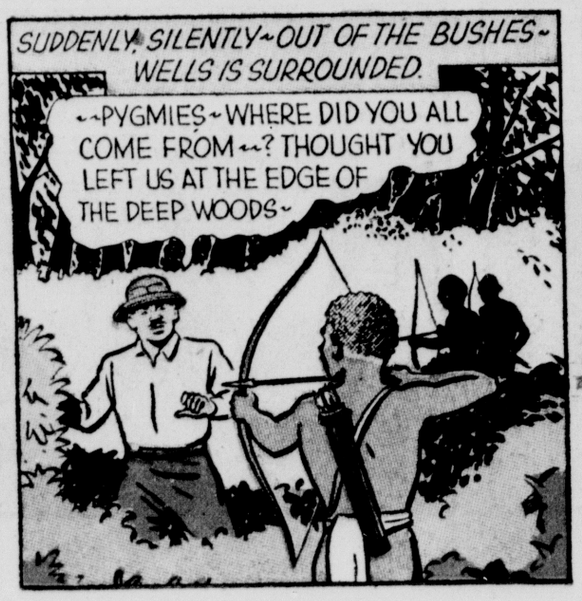








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KEEP ON IT, CANYON!

DELTA, HOW CAN I CALM DOWN WHEN THOSE TWO MEN ARE DRIFTING TOWARD THE SOVIET COAST? IF WE DON'T GET THEM OFF IT MIGHT MEAN WORLD WAR III!

SO THE MAN WHO DOES SAVE THEM WILL SURELY BE DECORATED AND PROMOTED, HMMM?

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CHECKING UP ON WHAT, HALLORAN?

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ER--- WHY--- --- SHE---

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YES... EBER, HERE IS RIGHT -- LET US DO AS NIMROD SAYS!

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DON'T WASTE YOUR MONEY ON LAWYERS, MR. McFUDD.

ALL YOU GOT TO DO IS LET MOON MULLINS MOVE INTO YOUR APARTMENT FOR A WEEK AND THE LANDLORD WILL PAY YOU TO BREAK YOUR LEASE.

PRETTY SOFT, I CALLS IT, GettIN' TO LIVE IN A SWELL BUILDING LIKE THAT FOR FREE.

YEH, AND MR. McFUDD SAYS IF TH' LANDLORD GETS TOUGH, HE'LL GIVE YOU A BONUS OF $10 IF YOU BUST HIM ON TH' BUTTON.

HECK! HOW'D HE EXPECT US TO GET IN WITHOUT A KEY?

WAIT HERE, MOON, I'LL GO GET A KEY FROM OLD MR. McFUDD.

NO SENSE IN ME WAITIN' OUT IN TH' COLD FOR KAYO. OH, BOY! THIS IS QUITE A DUMP MR. McFUDD'S GOT HERE.

HELP!

HOLY SMOKE! I DIDN'T KNOW HE HAD COMPANY.

POLICE!

PUT 'EM UP, BUM! I GOT TH' DROP ON YOU!

OH-OH, I'M BEGINNING TO BELIEVE MOON WAS IN TH' WRONG APARTMENT.

WHAT'S THIS?

LISTEN, GENTS, I'LL LEAVE IT TO MR. McFUDD. DID YOU OR DIDN'T YOU TELL ME TO COME HERE AND MAKE MYSELF AT HOME.

CERTAINLY, I DID

TAKE HIM ALONG, TOO, OFFICER!

IDIOT!

WELL, WHAT'RE YOU GRIPIN' ABOUT? YOU WANTED TO MOVE, ANYWAY, DIDN'T YOU?

SMILIN' JACK

ROCKY TELLS HIS PALS THAT THE "FED" HAS A TIP THAT "UNCLE" RIVER RAT IS TO RECEIVE A LOAD OF DOPE!

MR. FEDERAL MAN, WE VISITED "UNCLE" AND HE SAID HE WAS BUSY... READYING HIS CAMP FOR A FISHING PARTY BOAT TONIGHT!

WE STARTED OUR ENGINE SO IT WOULD SOUND AS IF WE TOOK OFF, BUT WE HID OUT HERE WAITING FOR YOU!

NZZZ

GOOD, BOYS! TH' PARTY BOAT IS PROBABLY TH' DOPE BOAT WE'RE AFTER. LET'S GO!

LOOK! A BOAT HAS DOCKED AND UNCLE RIVER RAT IS GOING ABOARD!

WE WANT TO CATCH TH' RATS RED-HANDED WITH TH' GOODS AND I WANT YOU BOYS AS WITNESSES!

BY HELPING ME TRAP THESE CRIMINALS, YOU BOYS WILL PROVE YOU WERE INNOCENTLY INVOLVED!

LOOK! TH' SKIPPER IS HANDIN' "UNCLE" A PACKAGE! THIS IS IT, BOYS!

OKAY, "UNCLE" RIVER RAT... WE'VE FINALLY CAUGHT YOU! NOW, GET ABOARD, BOYS!

NOW CAST OFF, SKIPPER! WE'RE GONNA TAKE OUR YOUNG FRIENDS FOR A NICE RIDE!

RIDE?

ZACK MOSLEY

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WALT DISNEY

BUT A LOT OF PEOPLE HAVE TRIED TO BUILD MACHINES TO CONTROL THE WEATHER BEFORE, GOOFY!

NONE OF THEM WUZ ME, YUH NOTICE!

DRIZZL RAIN SNOW HAIL

THUH IDEAR FER THIS COME TO ME IN A DREAM!

I CAN BELIEVE THAT!

DROP OVER TOMORROW! I'M GONNA PREMEER IT!

I'LL BE HERE!

I'LL EXPERIMENT A LITTLE BEFORE MICKEY GITS HERE!

SO FAR... SO GOOD!

SPUTTER

BLAM

WELL... IF THET OLD SAYIN' ABOUT RAINBOWS IS TRUE...

POT OF GOLD?

NOT EXACTLY! BUT I MADE EXPENSES! FOURTEEN DULLARS AND EIGHTY-TWO CENTS!

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OH-OH, I'M BEGINNING TO BELIEVE MOON WAS IN TH' WRONG APARTMENT.

WHAT'S THIS?

LISTEN, GENTS, I'LL LEAVE IT TO MR. McFUDD. DID YOU OR DIDN'T YOU TELL ME TO COME HERE AND MAKE MYSELF AT HOME.

CERTAINLY, I DID

TAKE HIM ALONG, TOO, OFFICER!

IDIOT!

WELL, WHAT'RE YOU GRIPIN' ABOUT? YOU WANTED TO MOVE, ANYWAY, DIDN'T YOU?

Willard

SMILIN' JACK

ROCKY TELLS HIS PALS THAT THE "FED" HAS A TIP THAT "UNCLE" RIVER RAT IS TO RECEIVE A LOAD OF DOPE!

MR. FEDERAL MAN, WE VISITED "UNCLE" AND HE SAID HE WAS BUSY... READYING HIS CAMP FOR A FISHING PARTY BOAT TONIGHT!

WE STARTED OUR ENGINE SO IT WOULD SOUND AS IF WE TOOK OFF, BUT WE HID OUT HERE WAITING FOR YOU!

N777

GOOD, BOYS! TH' PARTY BOAT IS PROBABLY TH' DOPE BOAT WE'RE AFTER. LET'S GO!

LOOK! A BOAT HAS DOCKED AND UNCLE RIVER RAT IS GOING ABOARD!

WE WANT TO CATCH TH' RATS RED-HANDED WITH TH' GOODS, AND I WANT YOU BOYS AS WITNESSES!

BY HELPING ME TRAP THESE CRIMINALS, YOU BOYS WILL PROVE YOU WERE INNOCENTLY INVOLVED!

LOOK! TH' SKIPPER IS HANDIN' "UNCLE" A PACKAGE! THIS IS IT, BOYS!

OKAY, "UNCLE" RIVER RAT... WE'VE FINALLY CAUGHT YOU! NOW, GET ABOARD, BOYS!

NOW CAST OFF, SKIPPER! WE'RE GONNA TAKE OUR YOUNG FRIENDS FOR A NICE RIDE!

RIDE?

ZACK MOSLEY

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MICKEY MOUSE

By Walt Disney

BUT A LOT OF PEOPLE HAVE TRIED TO BUILD MACHINES TO CONTROL THE WEATHER BEFORE, GOOFY!

NONE OF THEM WUZ ME, YUH NOTICE!

DRIZZL RAIN SNOW HAIL

THUH IDEAR FER THIS COME TO ME IN A DREAM!

I CAN BELIEVE THAT!

DRIZZL RAIN SNOW HAIL

DROP OVER TOMORROW! I'M GONNA PREMEER IT!

I'LL BE HERE!

NEXT DAY

I'LL EXPERIMENT A LITTLE BEFORE MICKEY GITS HERE!

DRIZZL RAIN SNOW HAIL

SO FAR... SO GOOD!

SPUTTER

DRIZZL RAIN SNOW HAIL

BLAM

WELL... IF THET OLD SAYIN' ABOUT RAINBOWS IS TRUE...

POT OF GOLD?

NOT EXACTLY! BUT I MADE EXPENSES, FOURTEEN DULLARS AND EIGHTY-TWO CENTS!

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COME QUICK, BRER FOX! TH' LIDDLE CHICKS CAN'T GIT OUT!

UMMMM...MIZ QUAIL'S CHICKS IN A HOLE, HUH?

THEY IS JUST AROUND THIS BEND!

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IF THEY IS DOWN THERE...WHY DIDN'T YOU LIFT 'EM OUT?

I AIN'T GOT NO HANDS ON MY WINGS!

I DON'T SEE NUTHIN' BUT MIDNITE!

KEEP LOOKIN', BRER FOX!

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IS YOU FERGITTIN' THAT TWO DOLLARS YOU OWES ME?

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BARNEY GOOGLE AND SNUFFY SMITH

WAAL!! IT'S HIGH TIME YE STRAGGLED HOME FER SUPPER--

I WUZ PLAYIN' CHECKERS WIF SUT, AN' HIS OL' WOMAN MADE ME WAIT AN' SAMPLE ONE OF HER HOT BISCUITS

IT'S BEEN SO DURN LONG SINCE WE HAD HOT BISCUITS AROUND HERE I DING NIGH FERGOT WHAT THEY TASTE LIKE

YE NEEDN'T HINT

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I WISH YE'D GIT OUT FROM ONDERFOOT UNTIL I CAN PUT EVER'THING ON TH' TABLE !!

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